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The Hero of Fort Sumter.

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WASHINGTON, December 14, 1871.

NOMINATIONS.

The President to-day sent to the Senate the name of George H. Williams, of Oregon, to be Attorney General in place of Akerman, whose resignation is to take effect on January 10th. Also the nominations of Joseph M. Carey as Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of Wyoming; Charles E. Browne, of Ohio, pension agent at Cincinnati; Benjamin J. Sweet, of Illinois, First Deputy Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

A falling barometer and rain will probably advance on Friday northeastward along the Atlantic coast; northwesterly winds, back to northeast, in New York and New England, and the barometer fall, with increasing southerly winds, from the upper lakes westward; a rising barometer with cool northerly winds extend from Alabama westward; a falling barometer and cloudy weather on the Oregon coast. Dangerous winds are not anticipated for our coasts this evening.

THE HERO OF FORT SUMTER.

The War Department, in general orders, announces to the army the death of Brigadier General Robert Anderson, of Fort Sumter memory, and pays a handsome compliment to his military services and private character. On the arrival of his remains on the ship of war Guerriere, proper orders will be issued to do them honor.

CLAIM PRESENTED.

The British bark Chance, and Hawaiian bark Arctic, the vessels which saved and brought to Honolulu the wrecked seamen of the whaling fleet recently broken up by ice in the North Pacific, have presented to this Government a claim for services rendered to the amount of $9,520.

HEARING TO STEAMBOAT MEN.

The House Committee on Commerce this morning gave a hearing to the delegation of steamboat men.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

The "Possum Party" Bobbing for Eels.

WASHINGTON, December 7, 1871.

It is stated upon high Democratic authority that a few evenings since a conference of leading Democrats in Congress was actually held with several anti-Grant Republicans, who are at work organizing an opposition party to coalesce with the Democracy to prevent the re-election of President Grant. It is said to be the desire of these soreheads and traitors to Republican principles to have the name and game of running the opposition themselves and leave the Democratic party ostensibly free from responsibility. This is, doubtless, the purely "'possum party," which means to play the 'possum *role* of pretending to sleep quietly in the Republican fold while it entertains the spies of the enemy and sells its professed principles for less than thirty pieces of silver, viz.: for the false promise of 'possum Democrats who profess to be asleep to the allurements of office and propose wonderful liberality in giving the offices which they cannot control to these traitor Republicans, whom they despise and intend to kick from their midst as soon as they dare to awaken from their 'possum sleep.

This announcement is fully set forth by Zeta of the Baltimore *Sun* who is *one* of the most accurate Washington correspondents, and is known also as the correspondent of the *New York World*. He says the parties to this secret arrangement object to their names being used in print, and well they may desire to conceal their Judas Iscariot performances, for when discovered which they are sure to be, they will unquestionably have leave to retire from the Republican ranks to the tune of the rogue's march. But as there is no earnest movement among the real leaders of the party, when the little game of the possum Democrats comes to light, it is quite likely that the anti-Grant men whom they pretend to use are not Republicans at all, or if so they are men of little character and no influence as Republicans.

It cannot be questioned that the Democracy are constantly throwing out their lines and bobbing for Republican eels who are slippery enough to present the Janus face at the same time that they swallow the alluring bait, and surrender themselves and whatever slight modicum of principles they have ever possessed to the enemy who desires to make a meal of them. They must be greener fish than ever before swam the muddy waters of politics, if they are so easily caught napping with so mean a bait.

The retirement of Attorney General Akerman is no longer a matter of doubt and guess work. From good authority I have learned that he will withdraw from the Cabinet this week, and that ex-Senator Williams, of Oregon, will succeed him. It is generally believed that Akerman will receive an appointment to a life position. His earnest efforts in favor of the administration entitle him to consideration.

TRUMBULL TROUNCED.

Yesterday Senator Trumbull proposed a Joint Committee to investigate and reform every department of the Government. He made an indiscriminate onslaught on the administration as connected with frauds which needed to be investigated, and upon the President for appointing politicians to office. Mr Edmonds, who has a bill before the Senate for the reform of the Civil Service, while admitting that the general principles of that service required to be changed, asserted that it was a most difficult question and that to entirely disconnect politics from the Civil Service of the Government was an impossibility. Every Senator on the floor not excepting Senator Trumbull owed his seat to his political position, and that Senator would not be there but for his political views. He denounced the idea of employing men to carry on the Government who were the enemies of the Government and the country. He asserted that under President Grant, the Civil Service had improved immeasurably and that the President never hesitated to dismiss and punish officers who acted improperly. That the assult made by Mr. Trumbull on the Secretary of the Treasury was without tangible ground, and the incidents of fraud which he could collect for this purpose afforded him no pretext for his attack.

The fact is that Trumbull is for himself and intends, to all appearances, to be used by the possum Democrats, despite the statements that have been going the rounds of the papers to the contrary. He overestimates his influence, which during the past year has been wonderfully on the wane, and it will not be increased by his tilt with Senator Edmunds of yesterday, which was esteemed as a thorough defeat for the ambitious Senator.

Gen. Negley, who is one of the most able and industrious members of the House, introduced a bill to make very important amendments to the act for the protection of the lives of passengers on steamboats. The previous law heen has generally denounced as imperfect and Gen. Negley's bill will revise the entire system of inspecting and protecting steamers for the safety of passengers and freight.

HUNTING OUT FRAUDS.

At the request of Treasurer Spinner a number of bankers and experts have been employed by the Secretary of the Treasury to seal the vaults and count the money in the hands of the various heads of divisions, and to investigate all the books accounts, and moneys of the Treasurer's Bureau. The work went on without cessation from Saturday evening till Monday morning, and covered every department of the Bureau excepting the sealed packages in the vaults. The accounts of one teller showed a balance of $30 in his favor, and another 20 cents short. All others tallied precisely with the money each office is responsible for. The result is a triumph of the Secretary of the Treasury and Treasurer Spinner over those who are disposed to carp at their administration.

Edward G. Bradford, Esq., was nominated by the President yesterday as U. S. District Judge for the District of Delaware, *vice* Hon. Willard Hall, resigned. Mr. Bradford is a sound and consistent Republican, and while at the head of the Delaware bar, he was appointed by President Lincoln U. S. Attorney for the same District, which position he held until his opposition to Johnson's apostacy caused his removal. He was twice nominated for U. S. Senator by the Republican majority of the Delaware Legislature, and his appointment is withal one suitable to be made.

Senator Trumbull flatly denies that he had denounced all movements to defeat Grant. I am willing to believe he has never yet given up the hope of attaining the Presidency himself from his present ridiculous attitude.

Senator Wilson has been interviewed and states that he has tried to bring about a reconciliation between Senator Sumner and the President, but was unsuccessful, that he (Wilson) is convinced that the Republican party is stronger than ever before, and that Grant is the strongest man in the party. Very few here doubt the latter statement. AGATE.

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

—A fire at Mansfield, Ohio, yesterday morning, destroyed property valued at $30,000.

—Alexis reached Concord yesterday morning, where he was given a cordial reception.

—The Senate yesterday confirmed the nomination of Geo. H. Williams to be Attorney General.

—It is denied that Gov. Palmer, of Illinois, has asked the removal of Government troops from Chicago.

—The residence of J. W Ford, near Kingstown, Ind., was burnt last Wednesday. Loss $4 000; insurance $2,500 in the Ætna.

—The buildings of the Franklin Manufacturing Company, at Paterson, N. J., were burned yesterday morning. Loss $150,000.

—Johnson, the Washington thief, is in the same predicament as Connolly, the New York thief—unable to obtain acceptable bail.

—Mr. Sumner's bill for mixed schools in Washington and Georgetown, D. C., is very unpopular among the citizens of those places.

—The American and British Commission yesterday decided that the United States are not liable for the payment of debts contracted by rebel authorities.

—Nearly seven hundred bills have already been introduced in the House of Representatives at Washington. The prospect is that there will be no lack of work.

—A dispatch by telegraph, by the line of the Southern India and Red Sea cable, announces the successful observation of the total eclipse of the sun in the Southern Hemisphere.

—The Democratic members of Congress are very quiet. Perhaps the recent elections have something to do with this. A party, like individuals, is usually very quiet after a defeat.

—The Southern Claims Commission made a report to Congress yesterday. The number of claims presented up to the end of November is 10,099, and the entire amount $26,590,000.

—John D. Patterson, who caused the death of Cummings, at Econ, Ohio, last week, was on Wednesday bound over in the Court of Common Pleas, Springfield, Ohio, in $3,000 bonds.

—At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad yesterday, J. W. Garrett was unanimously re-elected President. This makes his fourteenth election as President.

—Arrivals from the West Indies state that vessels passing Turk's Island have been boarded from there and the request made that they bring their cargoes in free of duty, as the inhabitants were starving.

—The Solicitor of the Treasury at Washington has concluded not to levy upon the household furniture of either Marden or Johnson, the defaulters. Their joint stock would not inventory at one thousand dollars.

—An Appleton (Wis.) special to the Milwaukee *News* says: A destructive fire originated in a block on the South Side, and consumed three stores, five saloons, harness shop and a meat shop. Loss about $10,000.

—Governor Hoffman yesterday informed the committee of New York Internationals that he could not determine what course to pursue in regard to the contemplated parade until he heard from the police authorities.

—The transfer of the property donated by Cincinnati to the Fort Wayne, Indianapolis and Wabash Railroad, for the erection of their machine shops, was made on Wednesday. It is valued at $30,000; in addition, $15,000 in Cincinnati city bonds were given.

—The convention of gentlemen interested in the project of cheaper and better water communication between the east and west, particularly by a ship canal around the Falls of Niagara, assembled in Detroit, Michigan, yesterday morning, pursuant to a widely published call.

—A special in the New York *Times* from Washington says that Vice President Colfax has informed several prominent Republicans, who have questioned him on the subject, that he cannot withdraw his refusal to be considered a candidate for renomination as representative.

—The postoffice at Bellaire, Ohio, was entered on Tuesday night between ten and eleven o'clock by burglars, who gained admittance through a back window. All the letters in the delivery boxes were torn open and scattered over the floor. There is no loss as far as known.

—The National Executive Committee of the Union League of America met at Philadelphia yesterday. An able discourse was delivered by Governor Geary, in which he particularly warned the Republican party against a passive policy, now proclaimed by the Democrats, denouncing it as a snare.

—A Columbia (South Carolina) dispatch states that the Government witnesses against Legann, Foster and Mitchell, charged with a conspiracy against the Government, have detailed the full secrets of the Ku Klux of South Carolina, and gave accounts of seven different raids, with their concomitants of rapine, negro whipping and disgusting brutality.

—The Senate in executive session yesterday confirmed the following nominations: Geo. H. Baker, of Pennsylvania, Minister resident at Constantinople; David B. Nevins, of Pennsylvania, Pension Agent for the Widows' Agency at Philadelphia; and Horatio G. Sickles, Pension Agent for invalid pensions at Philadelphia, vice Wm. A Forbes suspended

—A beautiful testimonial to Baron Gerolt, from his friends in Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York and Boston, has just been finished by a Philadelphia artist. It is an elaborately ornamented *epergne*, embellished with the arms of the United States and Prussia, and bears the inscription, "Baron Gerolt, the favorite representative, whose private character and friendship for the United States command the respect of the American people." It cost $2,000.

MEMPHIS.

Express Robbers Captured

MEMPHIS, December 14.—A private dispatch from Allan Pinkerton states that after a severe fight the two men who robbed the express car on the Mobile and Ohio Railroad, some months ago, were captured at Londay, near Verna, Mo., by detectives, aided by citizens. During the past two months the Southern Express Company has had a large number of detectives on the track of these. One escaped, but is doubtless captured ere this.

THE RIVERS.

MEMPHIS, December 14.—Cloudy and cold. River stationary. Departed—Andes and Alaska, New Orleans; Bismarck, Cairo; R. C. Gray, Arkansas river. The Alaska is aground at Reeves' bar. The Belle Lee ran through herself below Helena, and is coming up on one wheel.

NASHVILLE, December 14.—River falling; 17 inches on Harpeth Shoals. Fair and cold.

NEW YORK.

The City Banks

ALEXIS' GENEROSITY.

Uncle Sam Outwitted.

SUNDAY PARADES PERMITTED.

NEW YORK, December 14, 1871.

THE BANKS.

The Directors of the Bank of North America have been called to account for aiding in the lock up in money.

The Union Square National Bank was obliged to close yesterday by order of Controller Hurlburt. It had arranged with the Shoe and Leather Bank to cover its clearings. It is alleged that that bank threw them out without notice. Unfounded rumors were in circulation yesterday that various banks had failed.

The depositors of the Ocean Bank held a meeting yesterday afternoon, at which it was stated that the bank only wasted $17,000, while the receiver asserts that its assets are over $1,000,000.

Hurlcurt, Comptroller of the Currency, has suspended Callandar, Bank Examiner for this city.

The Receiver of the Ocean Bank paid $60,000 of the sum due the Clearing House. The balance will be paid to-morrow. He believes that $266,000 of the $326,000 discounted bills are good.

UNCLE SAM OUTWITTED.

A *Herald* special from Washington says that it now appears to have been discovered that the British Government completely outwitted the administration in that part of the Treaty of Washington providing for the appointment of arbitrators, and that the decision will be adverse to the position and interests of the United States, which is to be given at the Geneva Conference. Only two of the five arbitrators are friends of a republican form of government. It is said the upshot of this will be the opening of the Alabama dispute. The Spanish Government is anxious to bring about a complication of this kind, and is supposed to favor England's non-liability for the escape of the Alabama, because she desires to hold the United States responsible for the escape of the Cuban privateers and the protection given to the Hornet and Florida. This whole subject will be ventilated in the House in a few days, when the Alabama Treaty comes up for discussion.

SUNDAY PARADES PERMITTED.

At a special meeting of the Board of Police Commissioners this afternoon, a resolution was passed rescinding the order which directed the Superintendent to prevent the parade of International societies on Sunday, and another resolution was adopted instructing the Superintendent to take the necessary measures to prevent a breach of the peace on the occasion of such procession, and to protect the public from disorder and violence.

ANNOYING PARENTS.

This afternoon Miss Fannie C. Claflin appeared at the Jefferson Market court and complained to Justice Shandly that her father and mother were a source of continual annoyance to her and Mrs. Woodhull. She complained specifically that they went to her residence on Wednesday evening last and created a great disturbance. Justice Shandly issued a summons for their appearance to-morrow morning to answer the charge of their daughter.

INTERNATIONAL PROCESSION.

At a meeting of the Police Commissioners yesterday, Mayor Hall, who is a member of the Commission, presented a communication announcing that he will vote for non-interference with processions of Internationalists by the police. The Mayor states that he does not find an antagonism against the pending procession, or that it would lead to riot. The procession will take place next Sunday.

ALEXIS' GENEROSITY.

Duke Alexis contributed $5,000 to the poor of New York. It is understood that he has given $2,000 for the poor of Boston; and that he will add $5,000 to the Chicago Relief Fund.

AID DISCONTINUED.

The Chamber of Commerce yesterday discontinued the distributing of money to persons made destitute by the Chicago fire, who have come to this city.

SALE OF PAINTINGS.

The amount realized by the sale of Alexander White's collection of paintings for Chicago was $91,000.

CONNOLLY'S BAIL.

It is considered probable that the Supreme Court at Albany will decide to reduce Connolly's bail.

SMALL-POX IN BROOKLYN.

The small-pox is now said to be epidemic in Brooklyn.

COMMUNIST GENERAL.

The Communist General Wroblowski arrived here from Paris.

ARRIVED.

The Thuringia and Hamburg have arrived.

ANNAOPLIS.

Mrs. Wharton's Trial.

ANNAPOLIS, December 14.—In the Wharton case to-day Harry W. Snowden testified that he was called to the house of Mrs. Wharton on June 28th, to nurse Ketchum. He described the symptons of the General, and then said that shortly after 12:30 o'clock, Mrs. Wharton stated to Mrs. Hulton that she had prepared General Ketchum's medicine, and at Mrs. Wharton's request witness administered a dose.

Dr. Williams was here called to the stand and prepared a dose of yellow jessamine, such as he prepared for Ketchum.

Witness resumed. He stated that the medicine as now prepared by Dr. Williams did not have the same appearance as the dose prepared by Mrs. Wharton and administered by him to Ketchum, which had a thick, or cloudy, lead colored appearance; whereas the preparation now before him was clear and transparent.

Forty additional drops were added to the preparation, and it was still unlike that given to Ketchum.

On cross-examination witness stated that he had placed tartar emetic in a tumbler with jessamine and water, and it did not produce the color he observed in the dose administered by him to Ketchum. Witness said that laudanum was also placed in the tumbler with the tartar emetic and jessamine, and that the mixture produced a brown color, which, in some lights, might have appeared of a gray or lead color.

Eugene Vanness testified that he resided in Baltimore; has resided there eighteen years; has known Mrs. Wharton nine years; was at her house about the 24th of June, while Gen. Ketchum was there.

Mr. Syester—Do not answer the question I am about to ask you until you have heard from the court. I wish you to state to the jury how you came to be at Mrs. Wharton's house on that day, and if well or sick, and describe your feelings and symptoms fully, and how you happened to be taken sick there.

The defence objected, and a lengthy argument ensued.

CALIFORNIA.

Killing Apaches.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 14.—Dispatches from Tuscon, Arizona, say that one hundred and eight men, including seventy friendly Indians, pleaded not guilty on indictments of murder in killing Apaches at the Grant reservation, and all went on trial at once. Their acquittal is anticipated.

REVOLT QUELLED.

In Senora the federal troops have quelled the revolt against the Juarez Government, routing the revolutionists at Puerto Cito, capturing all the officers, one hundred men, arms, equippage and supplies.

Two things which will lead to a more intelligent exercise of the right of franchise, are needed to remedy the knavery that disgraces our politics, and these are, a wider diffusion of intelligence, and a more general use of Pier, Dannals & Co.'s cream ale—bottled. *

SECOND EDITION.

FOUR O'CLOCK.

CONGRESS.

Woman Suffrage.

THE EIGHT HOUR LAW.

Committee on Retrenchment.

APPORTIONMENT BILL.

WASHINGTON, December 14, 1871.

SENATE.

VENZUELA STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN presented a petition from the Venzuela Steamship Company, asking for redress for the seizure of their steamers by Venezuela, and said that the complaint against Venezuela might yet necessitate severe measures on the part of our Government.

Mr. SUMNER said that he had examined the question, and found his own country in the wrong.

Mr. BUCKINGHAM presented a memorial against

WOMAN SUFFRAGE,

and said: "More than ten thousand of the most refined and respectable women in the country have signified to Congress their unwillingness to have the responsibilities of suffrage thrust upon them. This protest contains the names of many of the most respected, talented and influential women of the country. In looking over the list I find that I know many of them. They are married women, but women of good sense, and their judgment is entitled to consideration. They don't say anything about the abstract right of suffrage, but they say that, having already their full share of the burdens and responsibilities of life, they fear that others more bold than they may succeed in having imposed upon them other burdens and responsibilities unsuited to them, and therefore they ask Congress to protect them from these dangers. They say that the extension of suffrage to them will be adverse to the interests of working women; that it will introduce a fruitful element of discord in the marriage relation, and it will be fraught with danger to the general good order of the country. I sympathize with them. I see no possible benefit which can arise by the extension of suffrage to women—a benefit to them or the country."

Mr. CONKLING presented a petition from New York soldiers in the late war, recounting the services of women in the war, and asking Congress to make some provision for an acknowledgment of their heroic and charitable work.

BILLS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED.

By Mr. SCOTT, to provide for the recuring of efficient seamen for the navy.

By Mr. HARLAN, for the relief of certain settlers on public lands in Iowa.

Mr. TRUMBULL asked Mr. Sherman when the Committee on Finance intended to report the House bill repealing the

DUTIES ON COAL AND SALT.

Mr. SHERMAN said he thought it unadvisable to take up tariff matters separately from internal taxes.

Mr. TRUMBULL—Then I give notice that to-morrow I will move to discharge the Committee on Finance from further consideration of the House bill repealing the duty on coal and salt.

On motion of Mr. WILSON the Senate took up the House bill to equalize the pay of workingmen under the

EIGHT HOUR LAW.

Mr. Trumbull's bill repealing the law was read. At the request of Mr. WILSON, Mr. Trumbull withdrew the amendment in order not to embarrass the original bill.

Mr FERRY (Conn) renewed it, when the bill was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Senate then resumed the consideration of Mr. Anthony's resolution to create a

COMMITTEE ON RETRENCHMENT,

With Mr. Trumbull's amendment authorizing it to sit during recess and send for persons and papers.

Mr. WILSON warned his Republican friends that they were placing their party in a false position before the country. Already there were millions throughout the country who believed that an attempt had been made in the Senate of the United States to shield the administration. He hoped there would be a unanimous vote for Mr. Trumbull's resolution, so as to let the people see that the Republicans were determined to keep the administration pure in all its departments. He had no sympathy with the plan of covering our own shortcomings by talking of gigantic swindles in New York. There were Republican thieves as well as Democratic thieves, and a Republican thief was to him far the more hateful of the two, because he brought disgrace upon the Republican party. But notwithstanding the defects in the present administration, it was far purer and more efficient than most of its predecessors. No previous administration had ever been so prompt in punishing delinquency among its officers.

Mr. BLAIR—The Senator is very boastful about the purity and vigor of the administration. I wish to call his attention to a case in Arkansas, where the District Attorney and Marshal were both removed from office for procuring an indictment against a man for violating a law of the United States.

Mr. WILSON—I don't know whether that was so or not.

Mr. BLAIR reiterated the statement.

Mr. WILSON said he was not boastful of the administration. He simply desired to be just, and therefore he said that the administration was seeking progress in the right direction, although a good deal more of it was necessary. He was not one of those Republicans who thought the Democratic party dead. He expected to encounter them in full force next year, and he warned his friends against relaxing their efforts in any degree in the vain hope that they would meet no vigorous opposition in 1872.

Mr. NYE opposed Mr. Trumbull's resolution. Certain gentlemen in the Republican party, who thought the President was becoming too popular, devised the scheme of civil service reform, and under that cry they were attempting to revive the old committee, with all the extraordinary powers of sending for persons and papers.

Mr. THURMAN—The Senator objects to sending for persons and papers. Where was his voice on the memorable occasion when a committee of the House of Representatives was examining into the conduct and affairs of Senators to discover whether they had not been bribed acquit to Andrew Johnson, and ransacking telegraph offices to get at something that might compromise those Senators?

Mr. NYE—Just where it is now. Give me another such set of circumstances and I will vote for it again. But there is no such occasion now. There is peace in the ranks now, save with one here and there, who would be greater than his master. [Laughter]

Mr SCHURZ replied to Mr. Nye, and in the course of his remarks said the legitimate sphere of the comedian is generally within the walls of a theatre, but if the Senator is satisfied with the *role* he plays here, nobody else has reason to be dissatisfied. Those who defend a bad cause always resort to a certain line of defence. They attempt to throw suspicion on the motives of those who attack. The Senator from Nevada (Nye), like other Senators here, makes no attempt to disprove any of the facts that I stated yesterday in regard to the New York custom house, but simply throws aspersions upon my motives and accuses me of insinuating that Mr. Leets' service in the army should prevent him from obtaining employment in the civil service of the Government, and that the President had something to do with the cartage business in New York. I wish to say a few words in reply to the Senator from New York (Mr. Conkling). He said yesterday that the investigation of the New York custom house was closed up by the Committee on Retrenchment last year. The committee did undoubtedly believe that the case was closed, for it had reason to believe that when such scandals as it exposed were laid bare, the administration would jump at the chance to put an end to the disgrace, but it turns out that they were vastly mistaken. For the same scandalous system of robbery exists down to this day in spite of the exposures made by the committee. The Senator asked also: Why have we proposed in legislation to remove these abuses? Because no legislation was necessary. The abuses were created by executive action in the administration of the Custom House, and they could be done away with by executive action.

Mr. Trumbull's amendment was rejected by a vote of 24 yeas to 35 nays. The original resolution was then adopted.

Mr. TRUMBULL then moved to instruct the committee provided in the resolution just adopted to inquire into all the subjects enumerated in his rejected amendment, and made a few remarks.

At 5 P. M., without reaching a vote on Mr. Trumbull's motion, the Senate went into executive session, and soon after adjourned until Monday.

HOUSE.

TREASURY EXPENDITURES.

Mr. BURCHARD offered a resolution calling on the Secretary of the Treasury for information as to the number of persons employed, and the total compensation paid therefor in the collection of customs for the fiscal year ending the 30th of June, 1871, in the United States, and separately in the districts of New York, Philadelphia, Boston, New Orleans, Baltimore and San Francisco; also the amount of additional compensation paid to such employes as fees, moieties, traveling and contingent expenses; also the amount paid in same time in the United States for the collection of customs and for the erection, repair, completion or finishing of custom houses. Adopted.

The House then went into Committee of the Whole, Mr. Buffington in the Chair, and resumed the consideration of the

APPORTIONMENT BILL.

Various propositions were made and discussed, principally turning on the number of Representaives of which the House should be composed. The number was eventually fixed at 283, on motion of Mr. GARFIELD.

An amendment was also adopted, on motion of Mr. POTTER, providing that no new State shall hereafter be admitted having a less population than the number fixed as to ratio of representation.

Finally the committee rose and reported the bill.

Mr. NIBLACK moved to lay the bill on the table. Negatived—yeas 6, nays 145.

Mr. FARNSWORTH moved to strike out Mr. Potter's amendment. Negatived—yeas, 87; nays, 117.

The bill was then passed without discussion. It provides that the House shall consist of 283 members, distributed as follows: Maine, 5; New Hampshire, 2; Vermont, 2; Massachusetts, 11; Rhode Island, 2; Conneticut, 4; New York, 32; New Jersey, 7; Pennsylvania, 26; Delaware, 1; Maryland, 6; Virginia, 9; North Carolina, 8; South Carolina, 5; Georgia, 9; Alabama, 7; Mississippi, 6; Louisiana, 5; Ohio, 20; Kentucky, 10; Tennessee, 9; Indiana, 12; Illinois, 19; Missouri, 13; Arkansas, 4; Michigan, 9; Florida, 1; Texas, 6; Iowa, 9; Wisconsin, 8; California, 4; Minnesota, 3; Oregon, 1; Kansas, 2; West Virginia, 3; Nevada, 1; and Nebraska, 1.

The House then adjourned until to-morrow.

FOREIGN.

Prince of Wales.

DROWNING OF ALGERINES.

The Orleans Princes.

GREAT BRITAIN.

PRINCE OF WALES.

LONDON, December 14.—The following bulletins were issued to-day at Sandringham:

The Prince slept during the night. There is some abatement of the graver symptoms.

12 M.—The Prince has been tranquil all morning.

1:30 P. M.—No further change has been reported in the Prince's condition. Hopes of his recovery are now freely expressed, and the public are feeling more confident.

[Special to the N. Y. World.]

LONDON, December 14—The highest medical authority gives the assurance that the Prince of Wales will recover.

LONDON, December 14, 10 P. M.—An official bulletin from Sandringham announces that the Prince of Wales passed a quiet afternoon and evening. The symptoms have remained unchanged since morning.

LONDON 15, 2 A. M.—The physicians in attendance on the Prince of Wales at Sandringham issued a bulletin at 1 A. M., stating that His Royal Highness has been very unquiet since 10 o'clock last night.

LONDON, December 15, 5 A. M.—Later dispatches from Sandringham say the Prince of Wales is decidedly better, and takes his food well. His strength is greater, and there are strong hopes of continued progress towards recovery.

The Italian embassy in London telegraphs to King Victor Emanuel upon the issue of every bulletin. Crowds gather in front of the Mansion House and Marlborough House, and cheer loudly when the bulletins of a favorable character are posted.

The later reports from the Prince have greatly relieved the public mind.

REPORT CONTRADICTED.

LONDON, December 14.—The report that Parliament will be convened in January is contradicted.

MARINE NEWS.

GLASGOW, December 14.—The steamship Iowa has arrived.

EGYPT.

DROWNING OF ALGERINES.

NEW YORK, December 14.—A letter from Alexandria, Egypt, gives details of the drowning of seventy five Algerine pilgrims. They had arrived in the outer harbor, on their way to Mecca, when protests from consuls against their landing were made on the ground that they would disseminate cholera and other contagious diseases. Orders were given to land them outside of the city, and they were taken from the steamer on a lighter, and while being towed ashore were struck by another lighter, cutting her to the water's edge. She sank immediately, carrying all down. The event caused no particular sensation in Alexandria.

THE CHOLERA.

The same letter says that the entire east is restless under the cholera scourge at Alexandria, which is the great highway to and from India, and will disseminate the cholera around the globe.

FRANCE.

THE ORLEANS PRINCES.

PARIS, December 14.—It is reported that the Orleans Princes have determined to take their seats in the Assembly at an early date, and that they, when there, will act with the party of the Right.

GERMANY.

THIERS' MESSAGE.

BERLIN, December 14.—The *Provincial Correspondence* regards the message of Thiers to the Assembly as a fresh pledge of the pacific intention of the French Government.

SPAIN.

EUGENIE.

MADRID, December 14.—Ex-Empress Eugenie has gone to Gibraltar, where she will take passage to England

STEALING AT THE DEPOT.

The Depredations on the "Union Line" Cars—Several Thousand Dollars Stolen—A Boy Thief Arrested.

For several months past the officers of the Union Line Transportation Company have been aware of stealing from their cars at the Outer Depot, Twelfth ward, which, although not at any instance very large, in the aggregate amounted to several thousand dollars. Determined to put a stop to these operations, they placed detectives on duty night and day. These officers, after a careful surveillance of many days, were rewarded by detecting a boy in one of the cars, just after he had broken it open. He had with him about $50 worth of goods with which he was about to make off when intercepted by the officers. As it was, however, he managed to make his escape. He was recognized, however, to be John Samuels, a boy about sixteen years of age, who is said to have had a bad reputation for honesty. Yesterday, Mr. B. F. Long, the company's agent, made information against him before Alderman McMasters, for the larceny of goods amounting to fifty dollars in value, and officer Blondin is now in search of him. It is possible that the summary punishment of one or two of the youthful offenders may put a stop to these thievish operations.

WAS THERE FRAUD?

The First Ward Contest—The Hay-Humbert Dispute—The Testimony Being Taken—What Has Been Developed Thus Far.

The hearing in the case of the contested Aldermanic election in the First ward of this city is now going on before Commissioner Ferguson, who was appointed to take testimony. Messrs. Pollock & Barton are counsel for Mr. Hay, and Mr. Parkinson for Alderman Humbert.

Mr. G. W. Coffin was the first witness called. On Saturday he had testified that he was acquainted with Captain Hay, Alderman Humbert and Jacob Webster; attended the election for ward officers held in December, 1870; Jacob Webster was Democratic Clerk of the election. Witness said: I was coming down street after the first count had been made, and I met Mr. Cohen; Mr. Cohen asked me if I had any tickets in my pocket; I asked him how many he wanted; he said

HE WANTED FIVE.

Mr. Cohen took the tickets and scratched Captain Hay's name off and handed them to Webster; we all walked along towards the school-house, and Webster told me I had better put them tickets in; I told him I didn't do any such business as that; we went into the room where they were having a recount. Webster went to the table where they were counting, and after a few moments Mr. Cohen came near me and said in a low tone: "They're in;" that's all I know about it; the tickets I gave to Mr. Cohen were Alderman's tickets, with the names of Hay and Humbert on them; the election officers about this time were making the second count; there must have been at least about a dozen persons in the room besides the election officers; can't mind their names; Mr. Cohen put his hand above his eyes when he told me the ballots were in; Mr. Webster at this time was at the table near the ballot box.

AFTER THE FIRST COUNT

On cross-examination the witness said: "The polls closed about seven o'clock; I went to Humbert's office after getting my supper; the news of the first count came there while I was present; when I met Cohen and Webster it was on the pavement outside the public school; did not understand the purpose for which the tickets were wanted when I gave them; nothing was said to me about the tickets after I gave them to Cohen until he told me "they were in," except that Webster said I had better put them in; could not see what name was scratched off the five tickets; Mr. Cohen said he was scratching Hay's name off; it might have been ten or fifteen minutes afterwards that Mr. Cohen came to me and said "they were in."

At this point of the cross-examination on Saturday, a question was asked which witness refused to answer. The court decided, in the meantime, that the question must be answered, and yesterday the Commissioner repeated the question. To whom did you tell the facts to which you have testified prior to your defeat for Council?

WITNESS TELLS THE STORY.

Witness answered: To W. R. Boggs and Andrew Hartupee; those are the only persons to whom I recollect having told the particulars; to those I narrated the case, but not the particulars; told John Fitzsimmons, on the way; also, I think I told James Gracey; told Mr. Boggs a week or ten days before the Republican suggestion meeting, and Mr. Fitzsimmons probably four or five months before that, but did not give Mr. Fitzsimmons any particulars; told Andrew Hartupee of it in his office. After some further cross examination, witness was asked whether he was a candidate for Select Council at the Republican nominations; he replied in the affirmative, adding that he was defeated; Mr. Cohen said he would not do anything against me in trying for the nomination, and I said I would do nothing against him; I had not spoken to Humbert on the subject for a month or two; Mr. Cohen had said that he had promised to vote for Mr. Hunter, but would do nothing against me; don't recollect disclosing these facts to Mr. Hay.

Mr. C. C. Smith was next called and testified that he was inside of the room when the first count was made and Hay declared elected by four votes.

THE OFFICE GATHERING.

Went to Humbert's office and saw some twelve or fifteen persons there, inclusive of Mr. Cohen and Mr. Coffin; Mr. Cohen was making a kind of soothing speech to the Alderman, telling him that greater men than he had been defeated; Mr. Humbert was sitting behind the desk and cried that they had taken his bread from him; there were some twelve or fifteen bottles of whiskey there; after Mr. Cohen's speech they all had a drink again; after several "rounds" it was proposed to go down to the school house again to count the votes; see if there hadn't been a mistake, and fix it up; a great many of them, myself included, went down, Jake Webster and Wash Coffin being among the party; I was a kind of an "outsider" but I thought Wash Coffin and "Jake" were main men in "doing the thing." Some of the Election Board at first objected to the proposed recount; but afterwards agreed to it; all the party from Humbert's were around the ballot boxes seeing the recount; I watched the ballot box pretty closely, and I at one time, when stooping down and looking under the arms of the fellows in front of me

SAW A FELLOW'S HAND

make a motion as though he were about to take some ballots out, but instead of which he dropped some tickets into the box; Jacob Webster at that time was standing at the table and closer to the box than I was; the second count for Alderman was going on at the time; Humbert came out one ahead on the second count.

The witness was cross-examined at considerable length. He deposed that it might have been ten or fifteen minutes or so from the time he left the polls until he landed at Humbert's office; it was about ten o'clock when the first count was concluded; know that Coffin and Webster went down to the polls, but did not see Cohen going, there might have been half a dozen left the office to go down, but all did not start together; they stopped now and then as if they had some secret to tell one another; did not see Mr. Cohen going down there at all; if he had been with Webster and Coffin I might or might not have recognized him; Cohen did not seem to take such an interest in the matter at the office as Webster did; did not notice Webster and Coffin stop near the school house for five or ten minutes; there was a halt made there but not for that length; there might have been three or four or five there then; some one complained in the crowd, when they entered the room, that they did not believe the count was correct; Jacob Webster was in the room during the second count, also Wash. Coffin.

A WITNESS CONTRADICTS THE OTHERS.

The next witness was Mr. George Wilson, who was called by Mr. Parkinson. He testified that he was a member of the Election Board in 1870, when Messrs Hay and Humbert were running for Alderman. He was present when the re-count was made, and testified to the different persons who were in the room at the time, but distinctly deposed that he did not see either Mr. Coffin, Mr. Cohen or Mr. Jacob Webster there; instead of being a crowd there were but very few persons besides the Election Board, and the names of these few outsiders with witness furnished. The testimony of Mr. Wilson was almost directly contradictory of that of Mr. Coffin and Mr. Smith.

The examination here rested until yesterday afternoon when it was resumed.

The hearing commenced at half-past two o'clock—the little back office of Commissioner Ferguson being crowded with witnesses and principals and counsel.

Andrew Hartupee, sworn—I am acquainted with George W. Coffin; Mr. Coffin never told me of the circumstances related here till about two or three days before the late primary election; we had no conversation on the subject prior to that.

Cross-examined—I have seen Coffin frequently the last two weeks, I am satisfied Mr. Coffin never told preceding three days before the election; I couldn't say positively on what day, but it was not over three days before the election.

ELOQUENCE AND OYSTERS.

James Rees, sworn—I know Josiah Cohen, Esq; I remember the night of the election for Alderman in 1870, in First ward; I was in company with Mr. Cohen that evening at Humbert's office; Mr. Cohen was there; Andrew Miller, Mr. Coffin, Mr. Boggs, Mr. Hunter, Mr. Ross and Mr. Cuthbert were there; we all remained there over an hour after the first count; I was there with Mr. Cohen all the time—to the best of my recollection till we adjourned; I made a little speech and Mr. Cohen followed me; Mr. Coffin was there pretty much all the time; a lot of us went and got some oysters after that; Captain Andrew Miller, Joseph Ross, Esq., John Cuthbert and Mr. Fitzsimmons were there; we went to Pancoast's saloon; I don't think Mr. Coffin was with us; we remained in the saloon about twenty minutes; we went to the School house, as we heard that there were some twenty more names on the list of voters than they were votes in the box; we arrived at the school house after eleven o'clock; they reported the result of the second count before we went down; I never saw Mr. Cohen during that whole night in company with Mr. Webster. Mr. Webster was not at the oyster supper; I remained at the school house fifteen or twenty minutes; I never saw Mr. Cohen that evening, except at Humbert's; I am positive he was not with us at the schoolroom.

Cross-examined—I know what time it was when I got home, and when I came to Humbert's office; I left the polls before they closed; then took supper, and arrived at Humbert's office about the time I thought the returns would arrive; I don't remember who brought the returns of the first count, but I learned it from Mr. Webster; he told it to me and Mr. Coffin; there were about eight or nine or more persons in the office; we remained there long enough to make three or four little speeches; we then went to get some oysters; I feel certain of Mr. Joseph, Captain Miller, Mr. Cuthbert, and, I think, Mr. Cohen; I don't exactly recollect the time; I generally gauge the time to know how long to stay out; I think there were five or six went with us to the saloon; when we went to the school-house there were none there; I was not there during second count.

"HE NEVER TOLD ME."

John Fitzsimmons, sworn—Live in First ward, Pittsburgh; I know G. W. Coffin; I have some knowledge of the late disclosures of the election of Alderman in the First ward, Pittsburgh, in 1870; Mr. Coffin did not tell me anything of the alleged stuffing of the ballot-box by Jacob Webster until the Sunday afternoon after the primary meeting when Mr. Coffin was defeated for Select Council; he never before disclosed any such facts to me; I was at Humbert's office on the night of the said election when the result was announced of the first count—I think also Mr. Rees, Mr. Coffin, Mr. Wm. Gray, Capt. Miller, John Cuthbert; I couldn't say whether Mr. Cohen was then there, but I saw him there during the evening; I was there when little speeches were made; I think the meeting lasted an hour and a half; I then went to Henry Schild's and stayed about half an hour; went back to Humbert's office and couldn't get in; I arrived at the school house about the time of the close of the third count; Mr. Gracey was with me some time.

Cross-examination—There were others at Humbert's office that night besides those named; don't remember who they were; didn't expect to be called on at this examination.

MR. WEBSTER SAYS HE WASN'T THERE.

Jacob Webster sworn, says—I was a voter in 1870 in the First ward, Pittsburgh; I knew G. W. Coffin at that time; I remember the night of the Alderman's election in 1870; I was one of the clerks; after the close of the polls I remained in the room while they were counting the first ballot; I remained until almost the last vote was counted; I then went to town; I met some one at the corner of Fourth and Market who told me Humbert had been defeated by one vote; I remained at Humbert's about a minute and then went to the Allegheny bridge and was talking to the toll-keeper; I went back to my store and met Mr. Keep, who said they wanted me to sign the papers that Humbert was ahead; I then went with Keep down to the school house. Mr. Wilson said, Jake, we want you here, we are in the middle of the third count; Mr. Wilson said I must stay there, and I sat alongside of Mr. Cassiday; I then staid until after the third count was over.

Question—From the time you left at the close of the first count till the time you returned at the middle of the third count, were you in the company of George W. Coffin and Josiah Cohen, Esq.?

Answer—No sir, I was not; I never saw or spoke to Mr. Cohen from time of close of first count up to the middle of the third count.

Q—On that evening did you meet Mr. Cohen or Mr. Coffin at corner of Third and Market streets, about eight o'clock?

A—No sir.

Q—Did you go with Mr. Coffin and Mr. Cohen on the evening of that election from corner of Third and Market streets to where the election was held?

A.—No sir.

SOME MISTAKE ABOUT BEING TOGETHER.

Q.—Were Mr. Cohen, Mr. Coffin and yourself in company that evening at any time?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—Did you go into the school-house where the election was held that night in company with Mr. Cohen?

A.—No, sir.

Q. On the night of the Hay and Humbert election did Mr. Cohen hand you any tickets?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—On that night did you tell Mr. Coffin that he had better put some tickets in the box?

A.—No, sir; I never spoke to him that evening.

Q.—Did you see or know of Mr. Coffin giving tickets to Mr. Cohen that evening?

A.—No, sir.

Q—Did you, during the second count, or at any other count, put any tickets into the box of the election at the First ward. Pittsburgh?

A—No, sir.

Q—Within the last two or three weeks has Mr. Coffin been at your store, if so, did he ever know you?

A—He was there but didn't know me. It was on the day of the nomination when he was running for Select Council a week or so ago; he came to the store; myself and a clerk were standing at the door, he asked if Mr. Webster was here; I answered I am Mr. Webster; he said, are you Mr. Webster? I said yes, sir; he asked me how I was for Select Council; I told him I was sorry but had promised W. B. Hunter my vote.

Q—Were you here before the Commissioner yesterday when C C. Smith was examined as a witness in this matter.

A.—Yes, sir, I was.

Q.—Did that same C. C. Smith say to you or in your presence at the nomination for Alderman and Council in 1870 in the First ward that he, C. C. Smith, would get even with Andrew Humbert, or words to that effect?

A.—He did say so. It was on Sunday on Market street, he said he would be d—d if he wouldn't get even with Andrew Humbert.

The witness was subjected to a rigid cross-examination, but nothing additional was elicited.

Matthew Keep sworn, says—I was constable in First ward in December, 1870, at time of alderman's election; I was in the election room that evening after the result of the first count; I there found Geo. Wilson, John Chambers, W. R. Boggs, Julius Franks, Uzziah Stewart, John Robitzer, Joseph Dunlevy, Michael Cassiday and Mr. Webster at the door coming out as I went in; these gentlemen were all members of the Election Board; I also found Wm. B. Hunter and James Gracey just coming out as I went in; that was all there; I remained from the time they commenced to count the second time till the result was known and till they were about one fourth through the third count; when I went there at the conclusion of the first count I heard John Robitzer, one of the clerks of election, say that there was one tally that had not been counted; this was about the time of the second count; he said he was under the impression that in throwing the tallies across the table, or moving them, that one of the tallies was not counted, and the result of the second count would prove that his impression was correct; Mr. Robitzer said that was

THE CAUSE OF THE DIFFERENCE

Between the first and second count; I heard Mr. M. F. Cassiday, the Return Inspector, say that he was satisfied that the second count was correct; during the time that I was in there, from the beginning of the second count till the third count was almost concluded, I never saw Josiah Cohen, Esq., in the room; he was not there; Mr. Coffin was not there during this time; Jacob Webster was not there during the second count; he came out as I went in, at the conclusion of the first part, and did not return till I went after him, which was about the time when the third count was one-fourth through.

Q.—Could Mr. Cohen, Mr. Coffin or Mr. Webster have been there during the time you were there and you not know it?

A—Mr. Cohen and Mr. Coffin during the time I was in the room were not present there.

The witness was then cross-examined, and stated he was in the yard when the first count was announced, and remained there until it cleared of people. He then went in and remained there until the middle of the third count; sat by the door; not one soul passed in; no one objected to the second count; I don't remember that any person was near the table where they were counting the votes, except the election officers; during the time I was there they were not within six feet of the table; there was a barricade ran across; no person could have put any ballots in the box except the Election Board, but I don't believe they did; I am positive there was no one near the table when the ballots were being counted, who could have put in from twenty to thirty ballots between the end of the first count and the time the third count was one-third through; I cannot answer for the time before I came in or after I went out.

At this point the hearing was again adjourned.

The Chautauqua Explosion Again.

On Friday last, says the Jamestown N. Y. *Journal*, Capt. James M. Murray, commander of the steamer *Chautauqua* at the time of her explosion on Chautauqua Lake, was arrested by Deputy Sheriff M. W. Eddy, on a bench warrant, granted upon an indictment for manslaughter, in connection with the explosion of the steamer. He was taken before Judge Cook and released on bail. R. Newland, Esq., and J. M. Farnham, Esq., giving bonds in the sum of $1,000.

Capt. Murray has but partially recovered from injuries received at the time, yet sufficiently so to be able to walk by the support of crutches.

Letters Held for Postage, December 14, 1871.—H. L. Butler, Philadelphia, Pa., 3c; W. P. Cleary & Co., New York, N. Y., 1c; J. Davis, Pittsburgh, Pa., 2c; John Henney, Rochester, Pa., 3c; Van Schaick, Stevenson & Reed, Chicago, Ill., 3c; Niles Work, Cincinnati, Ohio, 3c.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

OFFICE OF CENTRAL BOARD OF EDUCATION, PITTSBURGH, Dec 14, 1871.

APPLICATIONS WILL BE RECEIVED from Teachers of elocutionary abilities for a position in the High School

JOHN A. SERGEANT, Secretary.

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PROPOSALS.

Separate Proposals

Will be received by the undersigned, until TUESDAY, December 19th, 1871, for

CHANDELIERS, GAS FIXTURES, FURNITURE and CARPETS for the NEW CITY HALL.

The work to be done according to the plans and specifications to be seen at the office of J. W. KERR, Architect, No. 80 Fourth avenue. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

THOMAS STEEL, Secretary of the Board of Commissioners for the erection of a City Hall

Pittsburgh, December 14, 1871.

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NEW ORLEANS SUGAR.

New Crop Good and Prime New Orleans Sugar,

FIRST OF THE SEASON,

JUST RECEIVED BY

WATT, LANG & CO.,

Nos. 172 and 174 Wood Street.

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DRIED PEACHES.

7 bags Peeled,
53 bags Halves,
3 bags Mixed,
22 bags Quarters,

Now landing. For sale by ISAIAH DICKEY & CO

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LOST AND FOUND.

LOST.

FIVE DOLLARS REWARD will be paid for the return of the BLACK AND TAN TERRIER that strayed from my residence on Sheffield street, Allegheny, on Tuesday evening last

J. D. MAHAN.

de15:s35

LOST.

On Saturday, December 9th, between the First Presbyterian Church and Union avenue, by way of Ohio street, a pair of heavy GOLD SPECTACLES, with the owner's name engraved on them. Finder will please leave them at No. 38 Union avenue, Allegheny.

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REWARDS

$75.00 Reward!

Stolen on the 29th of November, near the Court House, Pittsburgh,

A HORSE AND BUGGY,

Horse bay color, 15 hands high, Canadian build, white spot on forehead, scooped face; wide piece between nostrils and eyes; wide haunch bones, long tail. The hind shoes were put on by a smith named Tiny, whose name is stamped on the shoes. Square bodied medium sized buggy, with a gum yarn oil cloth top. The above reward will be paid for the recovery of the property, or information that will lead to the same.

JAMES M. RITER, No. 55 and 56 Water St., Pittsburgh.

de8:40

STRAYED

ESTRAY.—Came to the residence of the subscriber, Lower St. Clair Township, November 28th, a Red and White two-year old HEIFER. Owner can have the same by proving her and paying charges; otherwise she will be legally disposed of.

de13:s66 MARGARET BALDAUFF.

ADVERTISEMENTS on this page, under the several heads of WANTED, FOR SALE, TO-LET, &c., will be inserted at transient rates only—TEN CENTS per line for each insertion. No advertisement inserted for less than THIRTY CENTS.

WANTS.

WANTED.—AN ERRAND BOY AT J. R. & H. Murdoch, Florists, 122 Smithfield street. de16:88

WANTED—By a young Colored Man with good references, a situation as House Servant. Understands Cooking and Dining Room service. Apply at No. 40 Third street, Third ward Allegheny. de14:80

WANTED.—A few BOARDERS at No. 44 Grant street, near Fourth avenue, three squares from Postoffice. A few comfortable rooms unoccupied. de13:66

WANTED—TO BORROW—Twenty-five or thirty thousand dollars, secured by bond and mortgage—will pay 9 per cent. Address Box "G" GAZETTE OFFICE. de8:48

WANTED.—Girls for the city and country, to do cooking, housework, &c. several men and boys with reference want places. Apply at Employment Office, No. 1 Sixth street (formerly St. Clair) first door from Suspension Bridge, Pittsburgh, Pa.

WANTED—Mortgages—$5,000.00 to loan on bond and mortgage in sums of $5.00 to $10.00, if applied for at once. THOS K. PETTY, No. 179 Smithfield street. no28

WANTED.—BOOK BUYERS TO call and examine a splendid large stock of books in every department of literature. Bargains to be obtained for the holidays. Closing business on or about the 1st of January, 1872. Open from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M. Joseph MacLean, room 9 96½ Fourth avenue. Business fixtures for sale. JOSEPH McLEAN, 96½ Fourth avenue. de16:g83

TO LET.

TO-LET.—Two FRONT ROOMS, facing on the Park, without or without board. Enquire at No. 31 Sherman avenue (late Webster street) Allegheny City. de14:82

TO LET.

The Second Story and Basement

OF THE NEW BUILDING

NO. 118 SMITHFIELD STREET,

Directly opposite the New City Hall. Will be ready on January 1st, 1872. Apply to Lewis KIM, No. 359 Liberty street, or at the Building. de13:g64

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Lot and Frame shop with 20 horse power engine. Apply to CROFT & PHILLIPS, Real Estate Agents, opposite P.O. de12:g51

FOR SALE.—The valuable Banking or Retail Business Location, No. 120 MARKET STREET, corner. This is a rare opportunity for securing an excellent business location, or making a safe, well-paying investment. Persons desirous of a good investment will do well to investigate this offer. For particulars inquire of J. W. F. WHITE, No. 106 Fifth ave. de7:g4

FOR SALE.—FARM containing 69 Acres, under which there is about 20 Acres of Coal, situate in Franklin township, ten miles from the city and three miles from Fleming Station, P., Ft. W. & C. R. R. Improvements, House, Barn and Stable and two good orchards, each about 200 trees. Will be sold on reasonable terms. For particulars, enquire of THOMAS J. JACK Attorney, 91 Grant street. de2:g1

FOR SALE—BANK CHARTER.—Granted by Pennsylvania for issue or savings, or both. Perpetual in duration, without any restrictions or limitations of individual liability. Franchise is in the nature of a vested right and not repealable. Has issued $500,000. Correspondence from responsible parties will be answered promptly.

OLIVER BESLY, 41 South Carpenter street. Chicago Ill.

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FOR SALE.

TWO BILLIARD TABLES.

nearly new, manufactured by Julius Balke, Cincinnati; are for sale cheap at

C. WOLTER'S RESTAURANT. No. 4 Sixth avenue.

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FOR SALE—HOMES FOR THE MULTITUDE. THE WORKING MAN PROVIDED FOR. 800 building lots for sale and lease in the 12th and 13th wards, adjoining the Pennsylvania Railroad round-house and workshops, and within ten minutes walk of all the rolling mills, machine shops and foundries in the 9th, 12th, 13th and 15th wards. These lots are selling at from $400 to $550 each; $50 down; balance in five years. [illegible] JEREMY on the premises daily.

FOR SALE—FARM—A VALUABLE Farm of 96 Acres, 156 Perches, all underlaid with coal, in Upper St. Clair township, Allegheny county, Pa., late the property of James S. Neeld, deceased, adjoining lands of H. Ray, McMillen, Jr., W. Lesnett, S. Collins, and others, about ten miles from the city of Pittsburgh, and half a mile from the Chartiers railroad. Title indisputable and terms of sale easy. For particulars inquire of J. W. F. WHITE, 106 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh. no21:127

FOR SALE.—10 Acres in Chartiers township, cheap. 14 Acres, with buildings, one mile from Brodhead Station. 2 New Houses, Mt. Washington, cheap. 15x275 Western avenue, extending to Lincoln avenue. 33 Locust street, Allegheny City. Fine Residence on Lincoln avenue, with two Lots. Fine Residence and 6 Acres on South Side. 1200 Lots in Borough of Espy, at very low prices. Twenty equal annual payments. These lots are not over two miles from the Postoffice. Why go seven to ten miles from your work to buy a lot? Come and see, THOS F. STEWART, Dealer in Real Estate, Notes Bonds and Mortgages, 48 Fifth avenue. no7

NOTICES.

☞ YOUNG MEN'S MERCANTILE LIBRARY.—The Regular Annual Meeting for the purpose of choosing a Committee to make nominations for the ensuing year, will be held at the Association Rooms, Library Hall, on FRIDAY EVENING, December 15th, 1871, at 7½ o'clock.

HENRY M LONG, President.

GEO. I. WHITNEY, Secretary. de13:g69

☞ DIVIDEND.—THE SOUTH SIDE GAS COMPANY has this day declared a semi-annual dividend of FOUR PER CENT. upon the capital stock, payable on and after the 15th inst., at the Banking House of Robinson Bros., No. 78 Fourth avenue.

D. ROBINSON, Treasurer.

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☞ FIFTH AVENUE BANK OF PITTSBURGH.—DIVIDEND.—The Directors of this Bank have this day declared a dividend of FIVE PER CENT on the capital stock, out of the earnings of the last six months, payable on and after December 7th, free of taxes.

de6:17 F. E SCHENCK, Cashier.

☞ THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE ALLEGHENY TRUST CO. having resolved to increase its Capital Stock to $250,000, applications for stock will be received at the Banking House, No. 67 North Diamond street, Allegheny, from the 4th to the 15th inst.

de4:g10 JOSEPH MYERS, President.

☞ NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Books for Subscription to the Capital Stock of BELL VERNON BRANCH of the Pittsburgh and Connellsville Railroad, will be opened at the office of L. C. BALDWIN, Gibsonton; at the residence of H. LOWRY, Esq., and also at office of Pittsburgh and Connellsville R. R., Pittsburgh.

no29:178 W. C. PENDLETON, Secretary.

BANK ELECTIONS.

SECOND NATIONAL BANK OF ALLEGHENY, PA., December 9th, 1871.

☞ THE ANNUAL ELECTION FOR DIRECTORS to serve for the ensuing year will be held at the BANKING HOUSE, on TUESDAY, January 9th, 1872, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M.

J. N. DAVIDSON, Cashier.

IRON CITY NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH, December 9, 1871.

☞ AN ELECTION FOR THIRTEEN DIRECTORS of this Bank will be held at the Banking House, on TUESDAY, January 9, 1872, between the hours of 1 and 3 P. M.

GEO. B. DUNCAN, Cashier.

M. AND M. NATIONAL BANK, PITTSBURGH, December 9, 1871.

☞ THE ANNUAL ELECTION FOR Directors of this Bank will take place at the Banking House, Fourth avenue, on TUESDAR, January 9, 1872, between the hours of 11 A. M. and 2 P. M.

JOHN SCOTT, JR., Cashier.

ALLEGHENY NATIONAL BANK, PITTSBURGH, December 9, 1871.

☞ AN ELECTION OF DIRECTORS to serve during the ensuing year, will be held at the Banking House on TUESDAY, January 9, 1872, between the hours of 10 and 12 A. M.

W. McCANDLESS, Cashier.

☞ EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK.—The Annual Election for Directors of this Bank will be held at the Banking House, on TUESDAY, January 9, 1872, between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock, P. M.

A. LONG, Cashier.

PITTSBURGH December 9, 1871.

☞ AN ELECTION FOR ELEVEN DIRECTORS OF THE PEOPLES NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH will be held at its Banking House, on TUESDAY, January 9 1872, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 1 o'clock P. M.

F. M. GORDON, Cashier.

PITTSBURGH, December 9, 1871

MECHANICS NATIONAL BANK, PITTSBURGH, Dec. 9, 1871.

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de9:g84 JOHN G. MARTIN, Cashier.

THIRD NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH, December 8, 1871.

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d9:g35 W. STEINMEYER, Cashier.

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FRIDAY, DEC. 15, 1871.

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GOLD closed in New York yesterday at 109⅛@109¼.

THE resignation of Attorney General Akerman is confirmed. It is rumored that the vacancy well be filled by the appointment of George H. Williams, of Oregon.

MOST of the Democratic papers take sides with Catacazy in his difficulty with our Government. Of course it is perfectly natural for Democratic papers to thus sanction the plots of a miserable and untruthful schemer, against the integrity of our Government, but, at the same time, it is not very patriotic.

CHICAGO is becoming thoroughly alarmed at the increase of small-pox in that city. Cards and flags are placed upon residences where the dreaded enemy lurks, and stringent sanitary rules are to be enforced. In the mean time vaccination and revaccination are keeping the doctors very busy. There were nine deaths from the disease last week, and there are upwards of eighty cases known to exist at present.

ONCE the Louisville *Courier-Journal* had a reputation for wit, and now this is what it does to lose it:

"Gold overcoats are anticipated as the spring style for coal merchants. Undershirts for Pittsburgh dealers are of Lake Superior silver, and are much in vogue."

If our coal men could get a little of the Cincinnati and Louisville *tin*, they would doubtless let the author of the above paragraph keep all the old clothes and scrap metals, including brass, to be found in the shallow crevices of its imagination.

IN ITS "Alphabet for Tariff-Tinkers," the New York *World* is down as far as "I." It might as well have begun with that, and it is totally unnecessary to go any further. The dear "I" is the great idea of the free-traders whose doctrines are founded on the most selfish of egotism. Convince the American importer and the British exporter that, individually they would be better off under protective tariff, and you would never hear of free-trade again, unless it were in terms of abhorrence. The whole question is one between the individual "I" and the general "you."

THE ADJUSTED CLAIMS of losses sustained during the late rebellion by the citizens of Adams county, to be settled under the Act of Assembly of May last, have just been made public by the Border Damage Committee. The amount of claims originally presented was $560,886.53, but the commission of 1868 only allowed $511,117.11. The last or final commission makes still further though slight reduction and award for damage to real estate $153,545.63; personal property $335,893.36; total $489,438.99 to 1,175 claimants. The Franklin county damages have not yet been adjusted finally.

PERSONS who are unavoidably deterred from entertaining Prince Alexis, or showing the rites of hospitality to him, will doubtless be pleased to learn that he has kindly promised to come back in 1876. Which suggests that it would not be a bad idea if a general invitation were to be extended to the sovereigns of Europe and the leaders of Communism and Internationalism to come over in 1876 and see for themselves how stupendous and how grand have been the results of one hundred years of republicanism, blended with moderation, energy and determination. It might do such visitors a great deal of good.

EITHER PURITANISM is dead or Boston is degenerate. If the city has not fallen from grace, then the religion of those sad-garbed pilgrim fathers, whose descendents are so numerous and so fond of referring to their intolerant ancestors, has departed. Once Boston was to Puritanism what Rome is to Catholicism, Mecca to Moslemism, or Jerusalem to Christianity. But the Philistines have come upon this young Sampson and have deprived him of his locks. Boston is the headquarters of religious radicalism now, and was the only city in the United States which ventured to give a public entertainment to the Russian Prince on Sunday. A grand gala concert was advertised and given last Sunday night in the vast Music Hall, and there were four times as many applications for tickets as there were tickets for applicants.

THE efforts of the *Commercial* to belittle the services of President Wm. O. Hughart and Treasurer John H. Page, Jr., of the Pittsburgh, Washington and Baltimore Railroad, by frequent sarcastic references to "John W. Garrett's policy," "Garrett's road," "Garrett's management," and sundry other allusions of like tenor, will be duly appreciated, we hope, by the friends of these gentlemen. There is something beneath the surface, which prompts the *Commercial* to give vent to its pent up feelings, and we opine that it is not the just demand for lower rates made by the coke dealers. The present fight of the "thimble-rigger" who uses the *Commercial* for the promotion of his own selfish purposes, is only equalled by the celebrated warfare waged against Senator Cameron, Col. Quay, and others, and we look for a cessation, before long, which will doubtless be brought about by similar means to those proved effective heretofore.

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE of the National Steamboatmen's Convention have assembled at Washington, and organized for a vigorous campaign against the odious steamboat law lately put into practice. They insist on Congress removing the enormous burdens placed on their business, in the interest solely of a few inventors, and with no practical benefit, or effect in obtaining greater safety to life and property. Why should Congress adopt rules for all kinds of steamers propelled by steam without distinction or discrimination? Surely rules which properly apply to the Hudson or Upper Mississippi river passenger Packets, loaded with hundreds of precious lives, can not be considered necessary to the safe running of one of the Ohio river steam tugs, which carries nothing but its crew, and makes no effort by crowding on all steam, to run swiftly.

The present committee should have much weight in Washington, representing as it does nearly $700,000,000 worth of capital, and nine-tenths of the steam tonnage of the country. Surely Congress will give heed to the just demands of this large interest and remove the objectionable and useless provisions of the law.

FOR GENUINE sensational reading matter commend us to the New York *Herald*. When the harmless Prince Alexis was coming hither that journal discovered in advance of his advent that he came not as a tourist in search of sights and pleasure to our shores, but as an emissary charged with the grave responsibility of negotiating and concluding an offensive and defensive alliance between the great governments of the United States and Russia. The *Herald* did not hesitate to publish to the world its important discovery of the true object of the Prince's visit, and even after the brief conventional call was made by the illustrious visitor on the President, it did not take the pains to inform its readers of the mistake it had made. Now it discovers that the Government has been completely outwitted in the construction of the Geneva board of arbitrators on the Alabama claims, alleging that the game is to do nothing in the conference that will advance the interests of the United States or even do them ordinary justice, and that to accomplish that end the conference has been "put up." This discovery may be set down as the *Herald's* latest attempt at the wonderful in the sensation line, and only this and nothing more.

THE RECOVERY of the Prince of Wales, now very probable, will agreeably disappoint the world that was waiting to hear the announcement of his death. While universal joy and thanksgiving will fill the hearts of interested people on both sides of the Atlantic over the reported rescue of the royal invalid out of the very jaws of death, still there will be a lurking doubt in the minds of thinking individuals as to whether he was so long flickering near the grave, or so fearfully reduced as to discourage all hopes for recovery. Just at this very critical juncture in the politics of Great Britain, when the banner of Republicanism is flaunted in the face of royalty, and a large number of hitherto loyal subjects demand that England must move forward regardless of the interest of the throne, it seems, in the most charitable view we may take of it, like a special interposition of Providence that the Prince of Wales should, through a severe attack of sickness, awaken in his behalf a deep sympathy in the hearts of those over whom he is destined to rule. There can be no reasonable doubt but he was very sick; that he has been wavering so long between life and death, as the hourly bulletins from Sandringham would have us believe, is somewhat questionable. Certain dispatches from his physicians, published so long as a week ago, asserted that intestinal perforation had taken place, and that announcement precluded all hope of his recovery, even if the patient had an iron constitution. It may be very uncharitable, but it strikes us with peculiar *force* that the chance sickness of the Prince has been seized upon as a *golden* opportunity to advance his interests with his people. He had *forfeited* their love and respect by his reckless mode of living, and it was very doubtful whether the crown of his good mother would ever grace his brow. His serious illness and presumed near approach of death softened the public sentiment towards him and awakened deep sympathy for him. He will rise from his couch a reinstated favorite in public estimation, and it remains for himself to inspire the hope that the sceptre of rule will be worthily held in his keeping. While impressed with the belief that his physical prostration was grossly exaggerated by his attendants, still we rejoice none the less earnestly over his recovery.

STOCK GAMBLING.

All good citizens approve of the laws making gambling a misdemeanor, punishable with fine and imprisonment. The dealer in "faro" is vigilantly sought for by the police, and summarily arrested. The skillful manipulator of that paragon of deceit, "three card monte," is seized without warrant, as one would seize the burglar, or pickpocket, and straightway he is dealt with in accordance with his deserts. The laws against *this kind* of gambling are rigidly enforced in all well governed cities, and the moral tone of the community is considered purified with each arrest of the occupants of those sinks of iniquity, the gambling dens, which fairly reek with crime and corruption. Of late years the public mind has frequently been directed to similar crimes of greater magnitude, which have been permitted under the name of "business operations," and which have been perpetrated by those known in business circles as "the better classes of society"—men who would scorn to enter a gambling house, but whose moral natures have become sufficiently hardened, to permit engagements in proceedings of questionable character. A short time ago the great "grain corner" of Chicago furnished an example of this class of gambling, where business men had combined together, holding a "full hand," to use the appropriate pariance of the gaming table, to crush out all competitors and bring to certain financial ruin all dealers in grain in that city, not of their particular junto, and not acquainted with their designs. When a man enters a gambling house, he is supposed to know that he is about engaging in a desperate game, with desperate men, and if he be not a fool, he knows that the odds are largely in favor of the professional gambler. He goes ahead with his eyes and ears well open, in order to detect by sight or sound the least attempt to cheat or play foully. He is warned, and therefore is armed against base attempts to defraud or swindle him. If afterwards he discovers that he has been victimized, he has no one to blame but himself, as he well knew before entering, that his chance to win was as one to ten. Not so with the grain gamblers of Chicago, and indeed, of several other places that we could name, as the "game" has grown quite popular of late years. To explain, the merchant lays in his stock of goods, of grain, or other commodity. He has a right to suppose that he will be enabled to close them out to his customers at a just profit to himself. By and by he hears rumors that such and such an one of his neighbors is offering the same class of good in large quantities; quantities much larger than the requirements. At once the markets begin to break under the load that is placed on them, until our merchant finds his stock so reduced in value as to cause him severe, if not total loss, and the "bears" buy it up at the reduction. Again a few schemers with plenty of money, find a scarcity of one class of grain, or of gold, or of something else, and the market oversold. They at once agree to buy up the entire stock, including the contracts of dealers for future transactions. They enter the market and offer to pay a price much above what the legitimate trade can afford to pay. The market, under the new impetus, at once "looks up," the gamblers bid higher than ever, and continue to make offers to buy, much above the current prices, until they have loaded themselves with the entire stock in the market, when they become "masters of the situation." All who may be in want of their purchases must then bow the knee, and "come to their terms." Woe be to the poor mortal caught "short" at such a time, as he will find no mercy at the hands of the "Bulls." Suppose an innocent party is the victim of such a conspiracy, and enters court to obtain justice. How should that quality in such a case be measured? Should the fictitious valuation caused by the gamblers be construed as the true measure of value, or should it be determined by the legitimate and natural demands of the trade? At Chicago, in the "grain corner" suits, the fictitious value was discarded by the Board of Trade, and the settlements were effected at the prices ruling prior to the "corner." The same was done in the "stock and gold corner" of 1869. If this should be the rule established by juries and Commercial Boards throughout the country, the pernicious practice of organizing "corners" in the markets, would be most effectually broken up, as the artificial advance established, would not be sustained, and the motive for creating it would thus be removed. We are firm in our opinion that the ruin and desolation brought upon the people of this country, annually, through these unlawful combinations of desperate gamblers, far outweigh the misery and losses of the gaming tables. It is the duty of every community to frown upon all such attempts to artificially *elevate* or *depress* the markets. Let the unerring rules of supply and demand fix the standard of value, and then all dealers can calculate their chances for a profit or a loss, on any and all transactions. With this in view, all should be interested in putting an end to the gambling practiced under the flattering garb of "a business transaction."

NEW BOOKS.

A VOYAGE ROUND THE WORLD, by N. Adams, D. D. Boston: Henry Hoyt; Pittsburgh: R. S. Davis & Co., Liberty street.

This is the smallest history of a voyage round the world which we have ever seen, but it is told in a very interesting way. The little volume is published in a very attractive form, good print, and will make an acceptable Christmas present. It describes Cape Horn, California, the Sandwich Islands, Hong Kong, Canton, Shanghai, Singapore, Macaw and Manila, just giving one information enough to excite curiosity to know more. The publisher explains that the narrative first appeared in the *Congregationalist*, which explains its somewhat rambling character.

PHILOSOPHY OF STYLE. An essay by Herbert Spencer. New York: D. Appleton & Co.

This should have a wide circulation among the *literati* of the country. It treats of the economical use of words, and the arrangement of thoughts and images in writings. We are told that "brevity is the soul of wit," and if American writers have one prevailing and prominent fault, it is verbosity, or the habit of using more words than are necessary to convey the thoughts, and make them fully understood.

THE COUNTRY OF THE DWARFS, by Paul Du Chaillu. New York, Harper Brothers. Pittsburgh, Gildenfenny & Hess.

Any one who has read the previous writings of this popular author need not be urged to buy and read this book. It is intensely interesting and vivacious throughout. It carries one directly into the wilds of Africa, and abounds with tales of thrilling adventure with a singular people. Their habits, customs, modes of living, and communication, their warlike notions, strange and interesting spectacles, superstitions, burial ceremonies, grotesque and curious fashions are related along with much other interesting and novel matter. The book is issued in good style, with twenty-four striking illustrations descriptive of the scenes and incidents related, and will doubtless have a large sale. The Messrs. Harper have done well to put forward this book at this time, as it will make an enjoyable present to our young people, while it will provide a large fund of valuable and novel information for the student and scholar. We can cordially recommend it to all our readers, and more particularly to those who have not read the previous works of the talented and versatile author.

THE AUGUST STORIES—August and Elvie, by Jacob Abbott. New York, Dodd & Mead 762 Broadway. Pittsburgh, Joseph Horner, 139 Smithfield street.

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THE OLD BACK ROOM. By Jennie Harrison, author of "On the Ferry Boat." New York: Dodd & Mead. Pittsburgh: Joseph Horner.

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MAGAZINES.

THE GALAXY.—The January number begins the thirteenth volume of this valuable monthly magazine, which in six years has made itself an authority and a friend in a large number of cultivated American families. It contains a sketch and portrait of Archbishop Manning by Justin McCarthy. The Real Gulf Stream by Dr. I. I Haye; My Life on the Plains by General Custer; The Jews: what they are coming to, by W. M. Rosenblatt, a tale translated from the French of George Sand, a poem from the French of Victor Hugo, the first part of Fifteen Years a Shakeress by an ex Shakeress, who gives some curious details of the inner life of a singular people. Besides all this there are a number of short tales and further installments of The Eustace Diamonds and Ought We to Visit Her. The editorial and miscellaneous departments are full and fresh.

EPISCOPALIAN.

Consecration of an Altar—Bishop Potter Performs the Ceremony, Assisted by Dr. C. E. Swoope and Others.

The New York *Times* says:

The memorial high altar, which, for some time past has been in course of erection in the Protestant Episcopal Church of St. Mary the Virgin, was, on Monday, solemnly consecrated by the Right Rev. Bishop Potter, assisted by Rev. Thomas McKee Brown, Rector of the Church, and Rev. Messrs. Swope, of Trinity chapel; Olmstead, of Trinity Church; Noyes, of St. Alban's Church; Bradley, of St Sacrament Mission; Harrison, Van Kleek and others. The church was crowded with a refined and intelligent congregation, who were present by special invitation, the ceremonies being of a private character. The services of dedication were prepared expressly for the occasion by Bishop Potter. They were of a very impressive character.

Looking at the altar, dressed with flowers and bearing hundreds of wax lights, the surpliced clergy and the uniformed Sisterhood of St. Mary the Virgin slowly filling out at the close of the ceremony, one was forcibly reminded of the surroundings of the Roman Catholic Church. Indeed the services in this church are said to make a nearer approach to those of the Romish than even those of St. Alban's or Dr. Ewer's. The altar, which is not yet completed, is of the French Gothic style of the eleventh century, and is being built at the expense of John B. Murray, a prominent member of the congregation, as a memorial of his deceased wife. When completed it will be the most beautiful work of this kind in this country, with, perhaps, the exception of the high altar at St. Stephen's Roman Catholic Church, on Twenty-eighth street, and will even exceed that altar in height. It is approached from the body of the church by nine steps, the highest of which, nearly six feet from the floor of the nave, forms a platform from which the main structure rises. In length the altar is seventeen feet, including the wings, and the height to the top of the tabernacle is about twenty-six feet.

A marble revedos or screen extends the whole length at the back of the table, and rises to the height of twenty feet above it, having at each end canopied niches, (for statuary), supported by slender columns, with richly carved caps. From the centre of this screen projects the tabernacle, a beautifully sculptured piece, on the top of which, under an elaborate canopy, is to be placed a marble crucifix nearly five feet in height, imported from Italy for the purpose. A number of brass candlesticks, designed expressly for the altar, will be placed upon it when completed. Two hundred wax lights are to be used. Two candlesticks of elaborate design, and fourteen feet in height, will stand on the ground floor at each corner of the altar, to hold the Sanctus lights, to be lit when the Sanctus is sung in the mass. The material used in building the altar and steps is Italian marble. The following inscription is carved on the faces of the retables—the two last sentences in Latin, and here translated:

"Erected to the glory of Almighty God, and in the loving memory of Sarah Elizabeth Murray—wife—who entered into rest on Sunday, Dec. 11, 1870.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost.

Eternal rest give unto her, O Lord, and may perpetual light shine upon her and give her peace."

The work, performed in a very substantial manner, is from the designs and is being built under the supervision of Mr. Edward Neville Stent, architect, of this city. It is expected that the altar will be entirely finished by Christmas. The Church of St. Mary the Virgin was brought to its present state of completion about a year and a half ago, the ground for the edifice being the gift of Wm. B. Astor, under the condition that the seats in the church should be free. When finished it is intended that the church shall have a tower and adjoining school houses; a handsome pulpit of different colored marbles is to be raised in the church, and the chancel floor will be laid with the same material.

AN ACROSTIC
ON THE NAME OF ULYSSES S. GRANT
BY MRS. M. A. WILSON.

Up, rise! inspiring muse, arise!
  Assist my feeble voice,
Let's sing of one, who good and wise,
  Became our people's choice.
You see him in the din of war,
  'Mid conflict's strife and danger,
Secure, invincible, he stands,
  To *self* and *fear* a stranger.
See him in time of *peace* refuse
  The hard-earned homage due,
Each show of vain parade disuse,
  Such folly to subdue.
Such is the man, whose virtues more
  Than I can 'numerate;
Such is the man our nation's pow'r
  Hath raised to rule these States.
Great though he is, yet should he ask
  For knowledge from above,
Rightly to rule and govern well,
  In wisdom, truth and love.
*And as a king in olden times,
  Who might and power attained,
Nought but an understanding heart
  He sought, and *more* obtained.
To him may God give evermore
  Whate'er may here be given,
That when this life of care is e'er
  He may find "*Rest*" in Heaven.

*1st Kings, iii, 9.

THE New York evening *Post* says: "Of course the story of the *Tribune* that Mr. Fish is to be retained in the Cabinet because Mr. Conkling does not like the prospect of having Judge Pierrepont there as his successor, is a pretty misrepresentation of the truth. Mr. Fish is wanted in the Cabinet for many reasons; his presence there and his services in the Department of State have been among the principal sources of strength to the administration, and we do not know that any man whose opinion is of weight in the matter has ever desired a change, except Mr. Fish himself. We trust he will continue to be disappointed in this wish.

BETHINK AND BELIEVE.

There is no doubt—there can be no doubt, that in the various investigations which science has made she has added to the trophies of the past, and what we see in material development is also going on in the other departments of life. Consumption, once the terror of the human family, is now partly shorn of those terrors. You can meet it at the threshold and dispute its invasion by that more than wonderful medicine, Dr. Keyser's Lung Cure, which has done more for its cure than all the remedies that have preceded it. We read every week of cures that Dr. Keyser's Lung Cure has made. We see those on the streets in the full enjoyment of life, who once were apparently on their way to the "narrow house." Dr. Keyser's Lung Cure has again relit the lamp of life and sent these once suffering invalids on their way rejoicing. Price $1.50 per bottle or 4 bottles for $5 at 167 Liberty street.

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In Ladies' Fine Shell and Pearl Portmonnaies.
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ALEX. CHAMBERS,
ARCHIBALD CHAMBERS.
Pittsburgh, Nov. 25, 1871. no28:67

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Notice to Property Owners.

OFFICE CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR,
PITTSBURGH, November 29, 1871.

All persons owning property in the Twelfth (12th) ward, also property lying between the eastern line of said Twelfth ward and Thirty-third (late Boundary) street are required to leave the deeds of their property at this office for the purpose of having them registered in accordance with Section 4 of an act of Assembly entitled "An act providing for the registry of lots in the city of Pittsburgh."

SECTION 4. It shall be the duty of all owners of houses and lots, or tracts of ground, to furnish forthwith descriptions of their property to the Engineer, to aid him in making up his book of plans, and whensoever such descriptions shall have been furnished, and the certificate of the Engineer and his assistant shall be received, no property so returned shall be subject to sale for taxes or municipal claims thereafter to accrue as lien of record thereon, except as in the name of the owner returned; and after recovery of suit and service of the writ on him, as in the case of a summons *scire facias* or other appropriate writ, should this be neglected or omitted, or not complied with as promptly as may be deemed necessary to insure the early completion of the plans; then after one month's notice by public advertisement in the official papers of the city to the owners of real estate in said city not registered, and a written or printed notice shall have been served on the owner or owners, or delivered upon the property, should they fail to have such record made, then and in that case they shall be subject to a fine of five dollars for each month of such neglect, dating from the termination of said advertisement, and in case the same be neglected for the space of six months, a lien for the accumulated fines and costs shall be filed and collected as municipal claims are now or may be hereafter by law collected, the said fines to be paid into the city treasury; the notice to parties failing to register property may be given so as to embrace the property of any particular ward or section, or any number of wards or the city at large, at the discretion of the said City Engineer.

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Finance and Trade.

NEW YORK, December 14, 1871.

Gold dull at 109⅛@109⅜. Loans were made at from 5 to 7 per cent. for carrying. Clearances $28,000,000. Bids for Government gold amounted to $4,555,000 at from 108.38 to 109.50; awards $1,000,000 at from 109.28¾ to 109.28¾. Governments strong, but not active. There has been an uneasy feeling in the stock market in consequence of the many rumors afloat in regard to the condition of certain banks; at times there was a pressure to sell leading shares, and the day closed up with a general and marked decline in prices. Lake Shore and Pacific Mail led the market on the downward turn, the former declining 2 per cent. and the latter 2¼. Erie and Western Union were each down 1½ per cent., and the decline on the balance of the list ranged from ½ to 1½ per cent. Business was heavy on Pacific Mail, Western Union, Lake Shore and Ohios. A chronic bear, who has been bull for some time past, to-day sold from 30,000 to 40,000 shares of stock, chiefly Lake Shore. It was this heavy load that dragged down the market. The money market was easy during the morning at 6@7 per cent. on call, but became active in the afternoon and closed at 7, gold interest. Southern State bonds dull.

Sterling Exchange, 109.

GOVERNMENTS.—Coupons: 1881, 117¼; 5-20s, '62, 110; '64, 110¼; '65, 111⅜; do new, 113¾; '67, 115⅝; '68, 115⅜; 10-40s, 109⅝; currency sixes, 115⅛.

STATE BONDS.—Mississippi, 98⅛; Tennessee old, 65⅛; new, 65; Virginia new, 67; old, 60½; North Carolina old, 34; new, 12.

MISCELLANEOUS.—Western Union Telegraph 66⅛; Quicksilver 23⅛; Adams Express 89⅛; Wells-Fargo 57; American Merch't's Union 57; United States do 60⅝; Pacific Mail 89½; New York Central 91⅞; Scrip 86½; Erie 30⅜; preferred 64; Harlem 126½; preferred 128; Reading 113⅛; Michigan Central 118; Cleveland & Pittsburgh 136; Northwestern 60⅝; preferred 89⅝; Rock Island 102⅞; New Jersey Central 111⅛; St. Paul 52; preferred 75⅛; Wabash 62; preferred 84; Fort Wayne 96⅛; Terre Haute 15; preferred 49; Chicago and Alton 116⅛; preferred 119; Ohio & Mississippi 40⅞; C. C. & C. 86; Burlington & Quincy 123; Lake Shore 88⅜; Panama 18½; Illinois Central 132; Union Pacific 26⅜; Central Pacific Bonds 103; Union 91.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, }
THURSDAY, December 14, 1871. }

Closing quotations as received by James T. Brady & Co:

Gold	109⅝	5-20 Jan. & Jy.'65	111⅛
U. S. 6s, 1881	117¼	5-20 Jan. & Jy. '67	113⅜
U. S. 5-20s '62	110	5-20 Jan. & Jy. '68	113⅝
U. S. 5-20s '64	110½	U. P. R. R.	115⅛
U. S. 5-20s '65	111⅜	C. P. R. R.	103
U. S. 10-40s	109⅝	Cy. Pacifics	113⅜

—Owing to the recent advance in the price of cotton, many of the merchants have been compelled to suspend. On Tuesday afternoon the failure of W. P. Wright was announced, and yesterday it was followed by that of A. C. Shaefer and J. Leaycraft. These announcements caused some little excitement on the Exchange, but not so much as might have been expected, owing to the fact that they were anticipated. It is stated on good authority that the present advance in cotton has been brought about by certain parties who have bought a large number of contracts and have thus been able to control the market. It is thought that many more failures will follow, and that the market will then decline. Within the past month cotton has advanced about two cents per pound, and is at present selling on this market higher than at Liverpool. This state of affairs is unnatural, and there is in fact no cause for it except a heavy speculative demand, and that, in consequence the market has been greatly oversold. W. P. Wright offers to pay fifty cents on the dollar, but the others have made no proposals, not having as yet been able to make an account of their liabilities.—*N. Y. Bulletin*, 13th.

—The New York *Bulletin* refering to the recent failure of the Ocean Bank, says: The affairs of the bank were reported to be in an unsound condition, and reports were current in regard to the bank examiner which are calculated to impair confidence in him as a public officer. In June, 1869, it will be remembered, that the bank was robbed of a large amount. Later it removed its offices to Broadway and its business improved. The exposure of the City Hall frauds weakened confidence in the bank, as Wm. M. Tweed was one of its directors, and of late its business has been on the decline. Since December 4th it has steadily been a debtor at the Clearing House. Mr. S. G. Davis, counsel for the bank, has been appointed receiver. By last week's bank statement it appears that the Ocean stood as follows: Loans, $2,659,400; specie, $108,000; legal tenders, $222,000; net deposits, $1,462,100, and circulation, $798,800. The capital, we believe, is $1,000,000. Bad news never comes singly, and before the day was out a rumor was current of the failure of a small State bank up town.

PITTSBURGH MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, }
THURSDAY, December 14, 1871. }

ASHES—Soda Ash, 4 cts for common and 4½@5 for refined. Pearls, 11 cts; Pots, 10. Nitrate Soda, 5 cts.

APPLES—In steady demand and with continued light receipts, prices are well maintained, $2,50@3 per bbl for fair to good and $3,50 for prime.

BUTTER—The arrivals are increasing but with a steady demand, particularly for the best grades, prices are fully sustained; sales of prime to choice roll at 25@27. Common and medium is quiet and unchanged.

BROOM CORN—Is reported very quiet, but notwithstanding, the demand is very light, prices are not quotably lower.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Is less active but unchanged; sales in a jobbing way at 4½ cts per lb.

BEANS—Quiet and unchanged; $2@2.50 per bushel, for common to prime navy.

BEESWAX—There is no stock in this market in hands of commission men.

CEMENT—Louisville, $2,50@3,00 per bbl; Rosendale, $4,00@4,50; Calcined Plaster, $4.25@4.50.

CRANBERRIES—$12@14 for Jersey cultivated and $17 for Sackett's Bell Berries.

CIDER—There is a wide range in prices, as there is also in quality—we quote at $5@10 per bbl.

CORN MEAL—Sales of small lots at 85@90 cts per bushel.

CHEESE—Is quiet, though this is usually the case at this particular time—prices, however, are unchanged; Prime New York Goshen, 15½@16; prime Ohio Goshen, 15@15½; Factory, 14@14½; Dairy, 13@13½.

CARBON OIL—Standard brands, in car load lots, quoted at 20¼@21 cts—usual advance for small lots.

DRESSED HOGS—Packers are paying 4¾@5 cts—sales, in a jobbing way, at 5¼@5½.

DRIED FRUIT—Peaches in good supply and quiet though unchanged, 10@10½ for halves; 8@8½ for mixed and 7@7½ for quarters. Apples—6½@7½ for common to fair and 8@8½ for prime to choice.

EGGS—The arrivals of fresh continue very meagre, and with considerable inquiry prices are higher—we now quote at 34. Pickeled eggs 25@30.

FLOUR—The stock of all kinds of flour in this market is very much reduced, but the demand is entirely local, while prices, although steady, are unchanged. Good spring extras, $7.25@7.50; Choice Minnesota baker's flour, $7.75; good to choice red winter wheat, $7.25@7.50. Rye Flour, $5.50. The New York *Bulletin* of Wednesday says: Minnesota flour has, within the past ten or fifteen days, attracted much attention, especially among speculators but the business has not been very large, owing to the small stock on hand. Prices since the 1st instant have advanced 20@60c per bbl, and the market now has a strong upward tendency. Advices from the State of Minnesota have been to the effect that the mills have been compelled to stop running, as millers were entirely shut off from any source of supply in consequence of the recent heavy fall of snow, the river being frozen over at the principal points, and the extreme cold weather, the thermometer at one period ranging from 35 to 40 degrees below zero. This style of flour has for some time past been relatively lower than wheat, and from the present exhausted condition of the stock there is a probability of activity in what little stock is left. Some dealers, if not all, are predicting an advance in prices before January 1st.

FEATHERS—No. 1 live geese feathers, 75@77 cts to the trade—83@85 in a retail way. Mixed stock quoted at 40@60 cts, according to quality.

GRAIN—The receipts of Wheat continue light, and, with a steady demand, prices are firmer; red may be fairly quoted at $1,45@1,50 for fair to choice red, and 3@5 cts more for white. Red sells more readily than white, and, in consequence, there is not much difference in prices. Oats generally reported very dull, though there is no quotable change in prices—45@46½ for good mixed to prime white. The offerings are large for the season and, notwithstanding the receipts are only moderate, stocks are accumulating; however, dealers generally are impressed with the belief that prices will not go much lower. There is an active demand for ear Corn, and the market is almost bare—quoted at 63@65—sale of two cars reported at 65. Ear is now worth as much as shelled, and the supply of both kinds is very much reduced. Rye is in demand at 90, with little or none offering. Barley continues very dull, though prices are not quotably lower; 80@85 for spring and 85@90 for fall—sales of 700 bushels fall, to arrive, at 88, buyer furnishing sacks.

GROCERIES—In our market trade is very dull, though this is usually the case at this particular time, as dealers generally are anxious to close the year with as little stock as possible. Advices from the east also report a complete stagnation in business. In New York, business is at a complete stand still, and, as might be expected, the market is weak, but there is no change whatever in prices; the stock of coffee in first hands reported at 79,538 bags. Sugars (at the same point) are weak and dull, and refineds have declined within the past few days. Molasses and Syrups, also dull.

SUGARS—Refined—Standard Hards, 13¾; A. 12¾; B. 12⅝; Ex. C, 12½; C. Yellow, 12¼. Porto Rico Sugars—Choice, 11½; Prime, 11; Good, 10½. Cuba Sugars, 10¾@11. Demarara, 12¾@12¾. Sugar House Sugars—Knight's Extra C. Yellow, 11½; C. C. 11¼; other grades, 9@11.

COFFEE—Fancy Rio, 24; Prime, 23; Good, 22. Fair, 21@21½. Java, 28@30. Laguayra, 25@26. Mocha, 45. Roasted Coffee, pure, 26. Lower grades, 24@25.

SYRUPS—Havemyer & Elder's, 68. White Honey, 68. Lovering's, 60. Durant's, 68. Sugar Drips, 70; Brune's, 68; other grades, 48@60. New Orleans Molasses, old, 50@55. New crop, 65@68.

RICE—Choice Carolina, 10; Good, 9½; Fair, 9. Rangoon, 8. Patna, 8¾.

SPICES—Pepper, 24. Allspice, 18. Cassia, 5. Cloves, 25. Nutmegs, $1.40.

HAY—Our market is almost bare and prices in consequence, are strong and tending upward, Baled, $25@30 for common to prime.

HOPS—Quoted at 2½@3½ cts.

HONEY—Sales at 25@30 cts.

HEMP—Kentucky rough, $165 per ton; single dressed, $240; Scutched, $190@195.

HOMINY—Sales at $5 per bbl to the trade and $5.50 in a jobbing way.

LARD OIL—No. 1 extra, 83@85; No. 2, 58@60. Cincinnati and Chicago winter strained, 88@90.

LIME—Perrysburg white, $2,00@2,25 per bbl; Cleveland $2.25; Eastern, $1.75.

MILL FEED—Is quiet but unchanged. Sales, in a jobbing way, at $21@22 per ton for Bran; $25@27 for Seconds; $34@36 for Middlings, and $40 for Oil Meal.

NUTS—Chestnuts, very dull; $3,00@3,25 per bushel. Walnuts, 40@45. Shelbarks, $1,40@1,50.

ONIONS—Dull but unchanged; common reds, $2,50@2.75 per bbl; Silver Skins, $3@3.25.

PROVISIONS—Plain Bacon Shoulders, 7½; ribbed sides, 8; short-ribbed sides, 8½; clear sides, 9; sugar cured shoulders, 9; sugar cured hams, 14½; Lard: in tcs, 9½@10 cts. Mess Pork, $14. Breakfast Bacon, 10. Dried Beef, 16.

POULTRY—Very dull. Dressed Chickens, 11@12½ cts per lb; dressed Turkeys, 11@14 and Ducks, 14@15. There is a good supply of indifferent stock, and for this dealers are obliged to accept whatever they can get.

POTATOES—Very scarce and in demand; sales, from store, at 85@90 for fair to good, and 95c@$1 for prime Peach Blows.

RAGS—Sales, 4@4½ cts per lb.

SALT—Is quoted at $1.85 per bbl, by the car load, and $2 in a jobbing way.

SEEDS—The market for Clover Seed is quiet, but it is expected that there will be considerable inquiry next month; we continue to quote at $6,00@6,25 buying, and $6.50@6.75 selling. Timothy, nominal at $3,00@3.50. Flaxseed is in steady demand at $1.80.

SHAKER CORN—13@14 cts per lb.

SUMAC—Tennessee is quoted at 4½ cts per lb, or $90 per ton.

TURNIPS—Very dull; quoted nominally at 35@40 cts per bushel.

WILLOWS—Stock almost used up, with none to come in until new crop; selling freely at 10c.

PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, }
THURSDAY, December 14, 1871. }

The oil market seems to have taken the back track again—prices for both crude and refined, particularly for the former, are weak and lower, and the indications at this writing are that the bottom has not been reached. Seller December, (crude) which a few days ago was quoted at 11@11¼, was offered to-day at 10¾. Parker, which on Saturday and Monday was up to $4, was sold this morning at $3.75, and, later in the day, offered freely at that figure without finding buyers. Refined—there were several cargoes (some 16,000 bbls in all) sold yesterday at 22¼—to-day, sales were made at 22, and 22 was the best bid for January.

CRUDE OIL RECEIVED BY A. V. R. R.

Peerless O W, account B S Duncan	548
Vista O W, account Waring, King & Co	80
D Bly & Co O W, account same	80
Star O W, account H McKelvy	314
Sterling O W, account Parker, T & Co	640
Oleopolis O W, account W Stewart	80
Standard O W, account B S Duncan	80
Total	1,762

OIL SHIPPED EAST PER A. V. R. R. & W. P. R. R. December, 13.

Lockhart, F. & Co., 780 bbls re. oil to Warden, F & Co., Phila.
Standard Oil Co. 460 bbls refined oil to Warden, Frew & Co., Philadelphia.
National Oil, 253 bbls refined oil to Warden, Frew & Co., Philadelphia.
Forsyth Bro. 260 bbls ref. oil to Warden, F & Co., Philadelphia.
J. A. McKee & Son, 310 bbls ref. oil to Logan Bros. & Co., Phila.
Fulton, M & Co. 267 bbls refined oil to Logan, Bros & Co., Phila.
Lyons & Co. 358 bbls refined oil to Logan, Bro. & Co., Phila.
Wm. McKelvy & Co. 214 bbls refined oil to Logan, Bro & Co., Philadelphia.
Wm McKelvy & Co. 54 bbls refined oil to Wm Blair & Son, Harrisburgh.
Citizens Oil Co. 261 bbls refined oil to Tack Bro & Co., Phila.
H W C Tweddle, 160 bbls ref oil to N Y C & H R R, New York.
H W C Tweddle, 52 bbls lub oil to R W Burk New York.
Total .... 3,329 bbls.

OIL SHIPPED PER WEST PENN R. R.

Kirkpatrick & L., 195 bbls ref. oil to Logan Bros. & Co., Phila.
Mentzer, H & Co., 150 bbls ref. oil to Logan, Bro & Co., Phila.
Elkins, B & Co. 50 bbls ref. oil to F Farnsworth, Phila.
Total .... 395 bbls.

[By P. & A. Telegraph Line.]

PHILADELPHIA, December 14, 12 M.—Refined; December 22¾c; January 22c; February 22¾c. Crude 11½c.

5 P. M.—Refined; December 22c asked; January 22c; February 22¾c; January and June 24c; January and March 22¾ asked. Crude 11½c.

NEW YORK, December, 14, 12 M.—Market very quiet; there is so little doing that it is very difficult to establish a price; spot offered at 23½c, with no sales at all in the market. Crude a little easier at 13½c asked for spot; 13¼c would buy; nothing doing; futures offered at 13½c.

3 P. M.—Spot held at 23⅛c, and balance of month at 23½c; January nominally at 23c to 23½c. Crude quiet and prices unchanged; spot held at 13½c to 13⅝c; no bids.

TITUSVILLE, DECEMBER 13, 9 P. M.—Market declined about 10@20c to-day; the transactions were limited, and both buyers and sellers were holding off; we quote following sales on the Upper Creek: 2,000 bbls b o to the 16th, $4.45; 2,000 bbls s o, $4.35; 2,000 bbls all the year, $4.20. On the Lower Creek: 2,000 bbls all the year, $4 80; 8,000 do spot, $4.50; 5,000 do spot, $4,40; 1,000 do Oil City 47 gravity spot, $4.50; 1,000 do do do do, $4.55.

ROUSEVILLE, December 14, 11 A. M.—Market firm and quiet at $4.50.

PLEASANTVILLE, December 14, 11 A. M.—Market quiet and firm at $4.40.

PARKERS, December 14, 11 A. M.—Market quiet and dull at $3.75.

PETROLEUM CENTRE, December 14, 11 A. M.—Market quiet at $4.45; no sales.

OIL CITY, December 14, 11:30 A. M.—Market very quiet at $4.45@4.50.

Receipts Pig Metal, Ore and Blooms.

PITTSBURGH, F. W. & C. R. R.

	cars.		cars.
Nimick & Co. metal	16	Merideth, T & Co m.	8
Hallman & H, metal	2	Loomis & C, metal	1
Zug & Co. metal	2	Bryan & C, metal	1
Total			30
CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH R. R.			
M'Knight, P & Co, o	4	Shoenberger, B & Co	6
Pitts Bolt Co. ore	1	Coleman, R & Co, or	3
Wilson, G & Co, o	1	Moorhead & Co, o	1
Reese, G & Co ore	1	John Moorhead blo	2
Nimick & Co blooms	4		
Total			23
PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI & ST. LOUIS R. R.			
Hallman & H, metal	2	Brown & Co. ore	2
Total			4
WEST PENNA. R. R.			
Spang, C & Co. blms	1		
PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.			
J Moorhead, metal	18	J W Porter, metal	11
Bryan & Caughey, m	3	J. Reamer, m	2
Lloyd & Black, met.	1	R. Wister, metal	8
Total			43

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Foreign Markets.

LONDON, December 14, 5 P. M.—The bullion in the Bank of England increased £244,000. Rate of discount in the Bank of England advanced ½—now 4 per cent. Consols 92¾. Money 92⅝ on account. 5-20s of 1862, 92½; do '65, 93⅛; do '67, 96⅛; 10-40s, 91⅛.

FRANKFORT, December 14—5-20s of '62, 97¼.

ANTWERP, December 14.—Refined petroleum 48f.

PARIS, December 14.—Rentes, 57f 20c.

LIVERPOOL, December 14.—Cotton: middling upland 10d. California wheat 12s 7d; red winter 11s 6d. Flour 25@28s. Corn 32s 3d. Mess pork 52s.

New York.

NEW YORK, December 14.—Cotton opened strong; closed unchanged; middling upland 20⅛c. Flour dull but unchanged; superfine western and State $5.85@6.25; common to good $6.40@6.55; good to choice $6.60@7.10; white wheat extra $7.05@7.25; extra Ohio $6.55@7.35. Rye flour and corn meal unchanged. Whisky dull and declined, 97@98c. Wheat dull and holders anxious to sell; spring No 2 $1.51@1.53; winter red western $1.58@1.60; amber $1.62@1.65; white $1.65@1.77. Rye dull and nominal. Barley declined; western 80@85c. Malt quiet. Corn active but unchanged; old western mixed, in store and afloat, 75@79c; new 76½@78c. Oats dull and heavy; western and Ohio 65½@66½c. Hay firm; shipping $1,35; retail lots $1,50@1,71. Hops dull and unchanged. Eggs firm, 35@37c. Coffee firm; Rio 17¾@20c. Sugar quiet; fair to good refining 9@9¾c; Cuba 8¾@9¾c. Molasses: demand fair; market firm; New Orleans 48@58c. Rice quiet at 8¾@9c. Crude petroleum 13½@13¾c; refined 23¾c. Turpentine firm at 65½@66c. Pork favors buyers; mess $13.50@13.62; March $15; new mess $14.87@15.00; new prime 10,50@12.00; new prime mess $11.00@11.25. Beef steady; plain mess $9@11; extra mess $11@13; hams steady at $24@25; tierce nominal; India $19@20. Cut meats dull; shoulders active at 6c; hams 9@11c. Middles quiet; long clear 7⅜@7⅝c; short 7½@7¾c; short rib 7¼@7½c. Dressed hogs dull at $5.75@6.00. Lard heavy; No 1 to prime steam 9⅛@9⅜c; prime kettle rendered 9¾c; December and January 9⅝c; March 10⅛@10¼c. Butter and cheese dull and unchanged.

Live Stock.

BUFFALO, December 14.—Receipts of cattle 680 head, making the supply 5,525 head, or 325 cars against 317 last week; the market rules dull and flat, and the late arrivals were shipped east in first hands; sales 64 Texan steers, 1,210 lbs, at $4.50; 74 Missouri, 990 to 1,220 lbs, $4.25@5; 32 Ohio, 1,283 to 1,272 lbs, $5.10@5.25; 30 Illinois, 1,435 lbs, $5.62½. Sheep: receipts 2,800 head, mostly western, which class is dull and drooping; Canadas active and prices firm; sales: 291 Ohio sheep, 84 to 88 lbs, at $4.70@5.10; 184 Indiana, 93 lbs, $5.12½; 384 Canada, 120 to 130 lbs, $5.50@5.62½; 207 Christmas sheep, 162 lbs, $8; 184 Canada lambs, 87 lbs, $6.75@6.87½. Hogs: receipts 6,200; the market rules fairly active at a decline of 10@15c; sales 5,000 head at $4.40@4.50 for medium to good and $4.60 for selected.

NEW YORK, December 14.—Holiday beeves are coming forward somewhat freely and sell at 13@14c. Arrivals: cattle to-day 1,890; they are not all selling; weather good but market bad and prices declining nearly ½c from Monday. Dead meat markets of all kinds are glutted and very dull trade, poultry being abundant and very cheap. 6 cars extra Kentucky steers, grades, 10 to 16 cwt sold at 12@13½c; a few selected 12 cwt 14c; 9 cars Texans 7½ cwt, 9c, 55 lbs per cwt; some 5¾ cwt Cherokee 8¼; 4 cars, 6½ cwt Indiana, 9½c, 56 lbs per cwt; 3 cars 7 cwt Illinois, $70; many droves expected to-morrow. Sheep—4,500; good market; thin lots sell at 5¼c; car 76 lbs Ohio, 5¾c; car 89 lbs, 6c; car 105 lbs, 7c; car 130 lbs, 8c; car 150 lbs Canadas, 8¼c; some very fine holiday stock is now arriving. Hogs—11,000 and market steady at 4¾@5 1-16c for live; 5¾@5⅞c as extremes for city dressed, and 5¾@6c for western dressed; 4 cars live Ohio, 205 lbs, sold at 5c.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, December 14.—Flour quiet and weak. Wheat: steady, closing active; No 1 spring $1,25; No 2 $1,19⅜; No 3 $1,10@1,11; seller last half $1,19½; January $1,21¼; February $1,23¾@1,23⅞. Corn quiet and weak; No 2 mixed 41@41¼c; rejected 39¼c; January 43⅛c; February 42¾@43c; April 44½c; May 47¾@48c. Oats in fair demand, but lower; No 2 31c; rejected 28@28½c; seller January 32c. Rye quiet and unchanged: No 2 63@64¼. Barley quiet and weak; No 2 fall 62@62½c; No. 3 53c; rejected 44@45c; seller January 63@63½c. Pork: opened weak, but closed firmer; mess $13,15@13.20 cash and December; seller January $13.30@13.40; February $13.55@13.70; seller March $13.85@13.90; seller April $14.10@14.20. Lard: steady at 8¾c cash and December; seller January 8⅞@9c; seller February 9⅛@9¼; seller March 9⅛@9½c. Green meats: quiet and steady at previous quotations. Beef products steady and firm at former prices. Hogs: quiet and weak for live at previous quotations; dressed firm and higher at $4.90@4.95. Whisky quiet and weak; sales reported at 90c, with 89c offered at close.

6 P. M.—Wheat: seller January $1,21⅛. Hogs active and strong at $4@4.40.

Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, December 14.—Cotton in good demand at full prices; low middling 19c. Flour is steady at $6.6@6.75. Grain unchanged. Coffee in good demand at full prices. Eggs quiet and weak at 28c. Butter steady at 20@25c. Cheese firm at 14@15c. Pork firm; sales at $14 cash. Lard steady at 9@9½c. Bulk Meats drooping; sales shoulders at 5¼c seller February; sides held at 6¼, 6¾@6⅞c cash; no sales. Bacon scarce, firm and wanted; held at 7¾@7⅞c for shoulders and clear rib; no sides clear. Hams 13@14c. Hogs dull and drooping at $4.35@4.60. Green Meats drooping at 4⅛@5⅛c; shoulders and rough sides 8@8¾c.

Cotton.

GALVESTON, December 13.—Cotton steady; good ordinary 17¼@17⅜c; net receipts 59 bales; sales 1,000; stock 35,367.

CHARLESTON, December 13.—Cotton easy; middling 19¼c; net receipts 2 359 bales; exports coastwise 14,547; sales 300; stock 31,065.

SAVANNAH, December 13.—Cotton: buyers and sellers apart; upward tendency; middling 19⅛c; net receipts 4,331 bales; sales 1,300; stock 69,576.

MOBILE, December 13.—Cotton dull and heavy; middling 19⅛c; net receipts 1,218 bales; exports coastwise 653; sales 300; stock 40,147.

Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, December 14.—Flour firm; superfine $5 25@5.75; extra $6@6.50. Wheat steady; Pennsylvania and western red $1.56@1.58. Rye 95c. Corn dull and quotations barely maintained; old yellow 78c; new 68@71c; mixed western old 78c; new and old 74@75c. Oats declined to 53c. Wool active and higher; sales 100,000 lbs German and fine Ohio at 62@67c; Indiana tubbed 76@78½c; western unwashed 39@43½c. Provisions firmer but no higher. Whisky $1.

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, December 14.—The market in quiet; prices generally steady and firm for all staples. The Atlantic Cotton Mills have advanced the price of their heavy brown sheetings ½c, viz: Atlantic A, 13½c, and Pacific extra 13c, but jobbers are still selling goods at all prices. They will probably put up the price to-morrow. Augusta sheetings have been advanced from 11½c to 12½c. Nashua R are advanced from 12½ to 13c.

Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, December 14.—Tobacco: sales 88 hhds lugs at $6.50@8; low to good leaf $8.25@19. Bagging dull and declined; sales of hemp and flax at 13½@14c. Cotton quiet and steady; middlings 19½c. Flour firm; extra family at $6.25@6.50. Grain firm and unchanged. Hogs firm at $4.60@4.70. Provisions in fair consumptive demand at yesterday's quotations. Whisky 91@92c.

New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, December 14.—Flour quiet; superfine $6.75; double $7.37½@7.50; low treble $7.62½@7.75. Corn, oats and bran market bare. Pork dull and held at $15.00; all others unchanged. Cotton firm; good ordinary 18¾@19c; low middling 19¼@19½c; middling 19⅝c; sales of 7,500 bales; receipts of 10 215 bales; exports to Bremen 250 bales; New York 975 bales.

Toledo.

TOLEDO, December 14.—Flour dull and nominal. Wheat unchanged; No 2 white Wabash $1.46; No 1 white Michigan, $1.48 offered; amber Michigan $1.43@1.43½; No 2 red $1.37½. Corn dull but unchanged; high mixed, 50c asked; 49½c offered; low mixed 48½c. Oats dull; No 1 41c; No 2 39½c. Hogs firm at $5.15@5.20. Clover seed $5.40.

Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, December 14.—Flour unchanged. Wheat steady; $1.23; No 2 $1.20. Oats dull; No 2 33c. Corn in fair demand but at lower rates; No 2 mixed 41½c. Rye drooping; No 1 64c. Barley firm; No 3 fall 63½c. Hogs in fair demand and held firmly; live $4.10@4.30; dressed $4.85@4.95. Mess pork $13.

Detroit.

DETROIT, December 14.—Wheat dull and declined; extra $1.50; No. 1 white $1.45@1.46; amber $1.40. Corn 53@54c. Oats 42c. Hogs dull and weaker; dressed offered at $5.20@5.30, buyers scarce. Clover seed active at $6.10.

Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, December 14.—Flour: quiet and nothing done. Wheat: nominally unchanged. Corn: in fair demand, but lower; new 53c; old 56c. Oats quiet. Refined petroleum 22½c; crude steady at $5.10.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

ALLEGHENY STATION December 14.—1 car ear corn, Clark, Wilson & Co; 2 cars cooperage, J M Hemphill; 1 car hay, J W Unger; 2 bbls hominy, 3 do meal, Jos Lockhart; 1 keg eggs, Jos Kirkpatrick; 3 d hogs, 4 cks cheese, 1 keg butter, Isaac Oesch; 1 car cooperage, Ralya & R; 1 car do, John Taggart & Bro; 2 cars wheat, Gilmore & Co; 1 car cooperage, H Hasmyer; 2 cars lumber, Jas McBriar; 3 do do, John Nanz; 5 bbls eggs, 25 bbls apples, John Herbert; 16 sks c seed, Jos Craig; 48 sks flaxseed, Thompson & Lyons; 50 bbls flour, Hack & S; 105 bales cotton, Kennedy, Childs & Co; 2 bales broom corn, A S Weaver; 5 bbls whisky, Isaac Stern; 1 do do, W D West; 3 hhds tobacco, R & W Jenkinson; 1 car lumber, L Walters & Son; 10 bbls c meal, 4 do peas, Chris Reiss.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD COMPANY, December 14.—1 car lumber, W M Hamilton & Co; 2 cars barley, J Rhodes; 3 bls oil, P & C R R; 65 bbls cider, S M Ellinwood; 1 car g stone, F Alden; 101 bbls lime, J B Canfield; 100 do do, Ripley & Co; 128 bbls cider, Loh, Son & Co; 2 cars lumber, Slack & Sholes; 1 do oats, Beckert & Gerwig; 175 bags oats, W G Miller; 49 bdls bags, House, H & Co; 1 car wheat, Marshall, Kennedy & Co; 85 pcs s pipe, H H Collins; 137 dressed hogs, J P Hanna & Co; 52 bbls oil, John Spear & Co; 25 bbls whisky, M McCullough & Co; 5 bbls cider, John Seibert; 366 bdls paper, Godfrey & Clark; 41 do do, Pitts Paper Mfg Co; 4 d hogs, 5 bbls h nuts, Houck, Jamison & Co; 12 bbls flour, A Work; 80 sks c seed, A Kirkpatrick & Co; 150 bus oats, 7 d hogs, 170 bus corn, P Duff & Son.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD, December 14.—94 bbls apples, 1 kg butter, 2 bbls poultry, W H H Wirtz; 5 do cider, Voigt & Megraw; 9 pkgs butter, Haworth & D; 2 cars cooperage, W Hastings; 1 car corn, Daniel Wallace; 100 bbls flour, Shomaker & Co; 46 sks c seed, W Welsh & Co; 132 do wheat, 7 do rye, 9 do barley Marshall, Kennedy & Co; 168 dressed hogs, J P Hanna & Co; 39 bgs c seed, A Kirkpatrick & Co; 24 doz brooms Loh, Son & Co; 1 car oats, Keil & Ritchart; 5 bbls gin, Schmidt & Friday; 1 car barley, Scott & Gisal; 100 bbls flour, Houghton, McCord & Co; 1 car scrap iron, Maloney & L.

WEST PENNA RAILROAD COMPANY, December 14.—*Through*—10 bgs coffee, J Lockhart; 13 pkgs groceries, Hani & Hetzel; 1 bale leather, J A Herman; 3 rolls carpet, Welty Bro; 1 bbl c berries, 1 bx groceries, C & J Netting; 4 pkgs mdse, J J East; 2 do cigars, W H Park; 1 bbl cranberries, G F Gomley; 1 b x drugs, H P Schwartz; 1 do oil cloth, W H McClinton; 2 bales leather, 2 bxs shoes, W Lawton; 8 pkgs groceries, W Davidson; 2 rolls carpet, McCracken & Co.

Local.—46 bbls flour, J C Thompson; 11 d hogs, J Craig; 3 do do, Laing & McKallip; 33 bgs wheat, Scott & Gisal; 1 bg b w flour, 7 d hogs, J C Bohn; 25 sks potatoes, W C Brown; 25 do wheat, J McClean; 1 car lumber, A Patterson; 2 do do, J H Morrison; 1 do, J Nanz; 10 ears bock, owners.

PITTSBURGH CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS RAILROAD, December 14—1 car barley, 1 do rye, 175 sks corn, W H Graff & Co; 100 bbls flour, Seghmeyer & Voegamp; 100 bbls flour, 35 bags offal, Watt, Lang & Co; 50 bbls whisky, Littell & Mechling; 25 sks wheat, Gilmore & Co; 40 sks barley, Fred Shields; 100 bbls flour, S Lindsay Jr & Co; 197 sks oats, H J McCracken & Bro; 42 bales cotton, O M Harper; 29 bbls glue, C Hoeveler; 368 bags corn, Danl Wallace; 84 bags dried fruit, 15 bales broom corn, I Dickey & Co; 25 bbls flour, John Porterfield; 50 bbls whisky, Clarke & D; 25 kgs pigs feet, 10 do do, Wm B Hays & Son; 1 car wheat, Marshall K & Co; 70 bbls cement, W S Drum; 1 car corn, McBane & A.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD, December 14.—30 bgs wheat, P McAffee; 1 bx cigars, 2 do tobacco, M B Hani; 7 cars railroad iron, Cleveland, Mt Vernon & Delaware R R Co; 33 bbls pearls, Dithridge & Son; 9 sks rags, Shipton & Wallace; 2 bbls dry apples, W M Gormley; 9 bgs potatoes, 3 do turnips, M Pfeiffer; 25 sacks potatoes, W Lindsay; 6 d hogs, W D West, 8 do do, W Hoffman; 1 car stone, Harrison Bro.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER, }
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, Dec. 6th, 1871. }

NOTICE.—The assessment for the Grading, Paving and Curbing of HOWARD (late Union) STREET, from North avenue to Jas. Hoag's south line, is now ready for examination and can be seen at this office until SATURDAY, Dec. 16th, 1871, when it will be placed in the hands of the City Controller to serve notices for the payment of the same.

de7:g24 CHAS. DAVIS, City Engineer.

ESTATE NOTICE.—Estate of James STEWART, late of Ormsby Borough, Allegheny county, deceased. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having legal claims against the same will present them, without delay, in proper order for settlement to W. H. ANDREWS, Upper St. Clair Tp., Upper St. Clair Postoffice, Allegheny county, Pa. no8:d33

DR. D. McMEAL,
OFFICE AND RESIDENCE,
No. 131 GRANT STREET,
au4:x64 PITTSBURGH, PA.

RIVER NEWS.

The weather of Wednesday night and yesterday, has almost entirely extinguished what little hope there was of an early resumption of navigation: with the mercury down to 20 and falling, and the wind in the northwest, the prospects are by no means encouraging. This has been an unusualy hard year on rivermen. From the last of May until November, the river was so low that navigation during that time was entirely suspended; quite a number of boats did not turn wheel, and many of our rivermen did not earn a dollar. This protracted siege of low water, was followed by two or three weeks of navigation: then cold weather sets in, and all our rivers are now, and have been for some time past, frozen over.

The Wheeling, Portsmouth and Zanesville packets were permitted to make one or two trips. The Cincinnati packets, Juniata and Arlington, were caught up in the ice, while making their first trip. The Julia is ice bound here; the Argosy, at some point below; the Arlington at Parkersburg and the Juniata and Granite State, are in the fix still further down the river.

The Collier, with three barges, started out on the rise; got aground at Glass House, and did not get off until the water was so low that she could proceed no further. She is laid up at McKee's Rocks.

The Messenger, en route from St. Louis to this port, is ice-bound about half way between here and Cincinnati.

The Mollie Ebert, at last accounts, was loading at New Orleans for this port, but there is no telling when she will be able to reach her destination.

—The St. Louis *Democrat* referring to the death of pilot James Russell, mention of which has already been made in this column, says: James E. Russell was a well-known pilot, stood high in the profession, and his death will be deeply lamented by all who knew him. He had been rather unwell for over a year past, but when leaving Cairo a few days ago on the Belle St. Louis for a trip to New Orleans, he said that he felt quite well. Deceased was aged about forty-seven and leaves a wife and four children. His wife is a daughter of the deceased Ben Fowler, St. Louis and New Orleans pilot. Russell was born in St. Louis, on Franklin avenue. His father, Isaiah, was a mate forty years ago, and afterwards pilot. He ran on the Mississippi steamer Majestic thirty-seven years ago. The deceased, James E. Russell, went upon the river at an early age, and continued on it with little interruption until the close of his career last Sunday evening. He made one or two trips on the Missouri to Fort Benton, but with those exceptions, he ran between this port and New Orleans. The flags of the steamers in port will be lowered to half mast, in respect to the memory of the deceased.

—The St. Louis *Republican* says: A careful examination of the report of Secretary Boutwell reveals the fact that he does not once mention the steamboat law, nor its opertion. Commenting on this omission, an Eastern paper says that the steamboatmen have reason to be encouraged, and that they find hope in the omission by Secretary Boutwell of all mention of the new steamboat law in his report. The law and the doings of the Supervising Board being a novelty, and public interest in the matter fresh and strong, we may fairly suppose that the omission was designed, not an oversight. It would have been easy for Mr. Boutwell to defend the law and its ministers if he were so minded, but not so easy or agreeable to criticise the law or ask for its amendment, since the whole work was done under his own general direction. The absence of allusion to the law in the report means something, no doubt; and it may be taken to signify that Mr. Boutwell is not wholly satisfied with the reception that statute has met with, or its practical operation, and that he will not put obstacles in the way of amending it to make it more reasonable.

—A Washington special to the Philadelphia *Ledger* says: A delegation of steamboatmen from Pittsburgh, Penna., were before the Committee on Commerce in the House this morning. They were given a hearing in reference to certain amendments to the steamboat laws, which they desire to have adopted. The committee also considered the subject of improving American commerce, and decided to hear the views of the advocates of the many projects purporting to reach such a result. The committee did not, however, come to any conclusion in reference to the action which it proposes to take in reference to this question.

—The following are the rates from St. Louis to New Orleans, via railroad to Cairo; Barge line from store on this side of the river: Flour, 90c; pork, $1.40 per bbl, and heavy pound freights, 45c per 100 lbs. Packet companies—Flour, $1,20; pork, $1,75; whisky, $3 per bbl, and pound freights, 60c per 100 lbs; way freight, 70c per 100 lbs.

—On the first day of January the signal stations along the Ohio and Mississippi rivers will receive, in addition to the report of the condition of the weather, a report of the rise and fall of the river at all important points. This report will be of invaluable service to steamboatmen.

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NOTICE.

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WM. PHILLIPS, President.
WM. F. GARDNER, Secretary. fe30:v59

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES, FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA. HENRY L. BUTLER, of the city of Pittsburgh, Pa., a Bankrupt under the Act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, having applied for a Discharge from all his debts, and other claims provable under said act, by order of the Court, notice is hereby given to all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons interested, to appear on the 26th day of December, 1871, at 10 o'clock A. M., before Samuel Harper, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, at his office, No. 93 Diamond street, Pittsburgh, Pa., to show cause, if any they have, why a Discharge should not be granted to the said Bankrupt.

de8:d1 F S. C. McCANDLESS, Clerk.

WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA—ss.
At Pittsburgh, Nov. 22d, 1871.
The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of Wm. H. Horn, of West Bethlehem, in the county of Washington and State of Pennsylvania, within said district, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition by the District Court of said district.

no24:l58-F WILLIAM HOPKINS, Assignee, Washington, Pa.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

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ASSESSMENTS.

OFFICE OF THE CITY ENGINEER, }
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, Dec 13, 1871. }

NOTICE.—The assessment for the Construction of the Sewer on Western Avenue, (9th Ward,) in front of the Marine Hospital, is now ready for examination and can be seen at this office until TUESDAY, December 19th, 1871, when it will be placed in the hands of the City Controller to serve notices for the payment of the same.

CHARLES DAVIS,
de13:g3 City Engineer.

OFFICE OF THE CITY ENGINEER, }
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, Dec. 7, 1871. }

NOTICE.—The assessment for the Grading and Paving with Stowe Wooden Pavement and Curbing of STOCKTON AVENUE, from Federal street to Union avenue, is now ready for examination and can be seen at this office until MONDAY, Dec. 18, 1871, when it will be placed in the hands of the City Controller to serve notices for the payment of the same.

de7:g39 CHAS. DAVIS, City Engineer.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the assessments for the opening of Walnut street are now in the hands of the City Attorney for collection. If not paid within thirty days liens will be filed against the property for the same, with interest, costs and fees.

J. F. SLAGLE, City Attorney.
November 24, 1871. no24:l51

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the assessments for the opening of Ridge street are now in the hands of the City Attorney for collection. If not paid within thirty days, liens will be filed against the property for the same with interest, costs and fees.

J. F. SLAGLE, City Attorney.
November 24, 1871. no24:l50

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the assessments for opening of Frank street are now in the hands of the City Attorney for collection. If not paid within thirty days, liens will be filed against the property for the same, with interest, cost and fees.

J. F. SLAGLE,
City Attorney.
Nov 24 1871 no24:l52

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, }
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 13th, 1871. }

OPENING OF MAIN STREET.—Notice is hereby given that the report of Viewers on the opening of Main street from Penn avenue to Liberty avenue, has been approved by Councils, and will be final unless an appeal is filed in the Court of Quarter Sessions, within ten days from date.

H. J. MOORE,
de13:g72 City Engineer.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR }
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 13th, 1871. }

OPENING OF LANG AVENUE.—Notice is hereby given that the report of Viewers on the opening of Lang avenue, from Penn avenue to the Pennsylvania Railroad, has been approved by Councils, and will be final unless an appeal is filed in the Court of Quarter Sessions within ten days from date.

H. J. MOORE,
de13:g78 City Engineer.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, }
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 13th, 1871. }

OPENING OF WILMOT STREET.—Notice is hereby given that the report of Viewers on the opening of Wilmot street has been approved by Councils, and will be final unless an appeal is filed in the Court of Quarter Sessions within ten days from date.

H. J. MOORE,
de13:g72 City Engineer.

IN THE MATTER OF OPENING Roberts street. In the Court of Quarter Sessions No. 3, September Sessions 1870 Notice is hereby given that the report of the Commissioners in the above case has been confirmed by said Court and that the assessments for benefits are now in the hands of the City Attorney for collection, and if not paid within thirty days from the date hereof, liens will be filed for the same, with interest, cost and fees.

J. F. SLAGLE,
City Attorney.
DECEMBER 12, 1871. de12:g3

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the assessments for benefits, made by the Viewers on the opening of an alley between Washington and Federal streets, in the city of Pittsburgh, are now in the hands of the City Attorney for collection, and if not paid within thirty days from the date hereof, payment will be enforced by suit.

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Pacific Ex.	2:50 am	Mail Train	1:05 am
Mail Train	7:35 am	Fast Line	1:35 am
Cincinnati Ex.	12:50 pm	Cincinnati Ex.	8:20 am
Phila. Ex.	5:20 pm	Southern Ex.	9:10 am
Fast Line	7:20 pm	Thro' Pass'ger	1:35 pm
		Pacific Ex.	2:05 pm
		Way Passen'r	8:20 pm
LOCAL.		LOCAL.	
Wall's No. 1	6:30 am	Wall's No. 1	6:20 am
Wall's No. 2	7:55 am	Brin'n Ac. No. 1	7:50 am
Wall's No. 3	10:20 am	Wall's No. 2	8:50 am
Wall's No. 4	11:51 am	Wall's No. 3	10:05 am
Wall's No. 5	3:20 pm	Wall's No 4	1:30 pm
Johnstown Ac.	4:05 pm	Wall's No. 5	3:20 pm
Brinton Acco'n, No. 1	4:50 pm	Wall's No. 6	5:50 pm
Braddock's Ac., No. 1	5:35 pm	Brinton Acc'n, No 2	6 50 pm
Wall's No. 6	6:05 pm	Braddock's Ac., No. 1	7:20 pm
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DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Baltimore Ex	6:30 am	1st McKeesport Ac.	6:40 am
Cumb'd Mail.	6:50 am	2d McKeesport Ac.	7:40 am
1st McKeesport Ac.	11:00 am	West Newton Accom'n	8:35 am
Mixed Way	1:00 pm	Uniontown Accom'n	9:50 am
Uniontown Accom'n	3 10 pm	Pitts'bg Ex.	11:00 am
West Newton	4:40 pm	3d McKeesport Accom'n	2:10 pm
2d McKeesport Ac.	6 25 pm	Cumb'd Mail	6 10 pm
3d McKeesport Ac.	11:00 pm	Mixed Way	7:20 pm
West Newton Ch'h train	*12:50 pm	West Newton Ch'h train	*10:05 am

*Sunday only. Baltimore Express departs and Pittsburgh Express arrives daily, all other trains daily except Sunday. The Baltimore Express and Pittsburgh Express, Mail and Uniontown Accommodation east and west will connect at Broad Ford and Connellsville with trains to Mt. Pleasant and Uniontown.

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LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	1:58 A.M.	Pacific Ex.	2:23 A.M.
Cl. & Wh'g M'l	6:43 "	Wheeling Ex.	10 03 "
Erie & Yo. Ex.	7:13 "	Chicago Ex.	12:43 P.M.
Chicago Mail.	7:23 "	Ch. & St. L. Ex.	4:58 "
Pacific Ex.	9:43 "	Cleveland Ex.	4:13 "
Cl. & Wh'g Ex.	2:23 P.M.	Erie & Yo. Ex.	6:13 "
Chicago Ex.	2:43 "	Chicago Mail.	8:48 "
Wellsv'le Ex.	4:38 "	Cl. & Wh'g Ex.	6:53 "
Erie Express.	4:48 "	Erie Ex.	11:18 "
DEPART FROM ALLEG'Y.		ARRIVE IN ALLEGHENY.	
Beaver F. Ac.	8:38 A.M.	Leetsdale Ac.	6:53 A.M.
Leetsdale Ac.	10:23 "	Beaver F. Ac.	8:08 "
Leetsdale Ac.	11:53 "	Enon Accom.	8:58 "
N. Castle Ac.	1:33 P.M.	N. Castle Ac.	10:23 "
Enon Accom.	3:58 "	Leetsdale Ac.	12:43 P.M.
Leetsdale Ac.	5:38 "	Beaver F. Ac.	2:23 "
Beaver F. Ac.	6:23 "	Leetsdale Ac.	4:33 "
Leetsdale Ac.	10:43 "	Leetsdale Ac.	7:33 "
Fair Oaks Sunday Ch.	12:43 "	Fair Oaks Sunday Ch.	9:58 A.M.

Chicago Express leaves daily. Chicago Express arrives daily.

Fast Line leaves daily, Mondays excepted. Pacific Express arrives daily, Mondays excepted.

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On and after MONDAY, November 20th, 1871, 3 THROUGH TRAINS daily (except Sunday) will leave and arrive at Pittsburgh, city time, for Franklin, Oil City, Buffalo, and all points in the Oil Regions.

	Leaves.	*Arrives.*
Day Express	7:40 a m	8:45 p m
Night Express	8:10 p m	6:30 a m
Mail	11:10 a m	5:50 p m
First Hulton Accomm'n	6:55 a m	6:45 a m
Brady's Bend Accomm'n	3:20 p m	10:20 a m
Freeport Accommoda'n	9:50 a m	2:00 p m
Soda Works Accommod'n	6:00 p m	8:15 a m
Second Hulton Accom'n	4:35 p m	8:55 a m
Third Hulton Accom'n	10 50 p m	7:15 a m
Special Sunday Train for Parker	7:40 a m	8:45 p m

Church train to and from Soda Works (Sunday) arrives at Pittsburgh 9:50 a. m. and leaves at 12:30 p. m.

Express trains stop only at principal points. Accommodation trains stop at all stations.

A Special Sunday train leaves Pittsburgh every Sunday at 7:40 A. M., arriving at Parker at 11.31 A. M. Returning, leaves Parker at 5:00 P. M. and arrives at Pittsburgh at 8:45 P. M.

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ARRIVE.		DEPART.	
Sprig'd'le No 1	6:35 am	Mail	6:50 am
Freeport No 1	8:30 am	Freeport No 1	9:30 am
Express	10:30 am	Claremont Ac	11:20 am
Claremont Ac	1:18 pm	Spri'g'd'le No 1	2:45 pm
Freeport No 2	3:55 pm	Express	3:35 pm
Mail	5:40 pm	Freeport No 2	4:40 pm
Spri'g'd'le No 2	6:20 pm	Spri'g'd'le No 2	6:25 pm

The above Trains run daily except Sunday.

The Church Train leaves Freeport every Sunday at 8:10 A. M., reaching Allegheny City at 9:50 A. M. Returning, leaves Allegheny City at 12:30 P. M., and arrives at Freeport at 2:50 P. M.

The 6:50 A. M. train and 3:35 P. M. train from Allegheny City make direct connection for Butler.

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DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	1:58 A.M.	Southern Ex.	2:33 A.M.
Columbus Mail	7:28 "	McDonald Ac.	7:23 "
Wash. Ac.	9:08 "	Wash. Ac.	8:48 "
Pacific Ex.	9:43 "	Steub'n've Ac	10:13 "
McDonald Ac.	11:38 "	Cincinnati Ex.	12:13 P.M.
Southern Ex.	3:13 P.M.	McDonald Ac.	4:13 "
Steubn'v'e Ac	3:38 "	Columbus M'l	5:48 "
McDonald Ac.	5:58 "	Fast Line	6:58 "
Sunday Ch. Train	12:58 "	Sunday Ch. Train	9:58 A.M.

3:13 p.m. Southern Express will leave daily.

12:13 p.m. Cincinnati Express will arrive daily.

All other Trains will run daily, except Sundays.

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HOME NEWS.

A Dastardly Outrage.—Some miscreant defaced the plate glass window of Messrs. Gildenfenney & Hess, No. 45 Fifth avenue, on Saturday night last. But notwithstanding, crowds continue to flock to their store to examine their large and splendid stock of holiday goods, all of which they offer at the lowest prices.

Peoples' Monthly for Christmas.

Now out, and crowded with poems, stories and illustrations suitable for the season and the little folks. Every parent should have this number for the home, and then have it for the year 1872. It can't easily be beaten for interest and beauty. Eight page supplement.

Laing & McKallip.

This firm, whose warehouse is at 347 Liberty street, deals extensively in Grain, Flour and Feed, of which consignments reach them daily. Thus, while their stock is constantly reduced by large daily sales, it is continually replenished by fresh arrivals. Besides the above specialty, they are large dealers in Anthracite Coal, Lime, Hydraulic Cement, and Plaster of Paris.

Dan Dougherty's Lecture.

This gentleman lectured at Library Hall last night to an audience which crowded the building to its fullest capacity. His subject, "The Stage," was handled in his own peculiarly inimitable style and to the satisfaction of an audience who were frequent and hearty in their manifestations of pleasure. We greatly regret that an extraordinary press of matter prevents the publication of the brief synopsis of his remarks which had been prepared.

The Attractions on Smithfield Street.

We call the attention of the patronizing public to the beautiful display and attractive articles that are in the windows of Messrs. Scharnke & Will, practical watchmakers and jewelers, No. 149 Smithfield street. Their good taste in their selections, and their integrity as men, and experience as practical manufacturers, ought to give them prestige, and we think it will. At all events give them a call and inspect their holiday presentation goods.

Avoid Annoyances and Vexations.

"If anything is worth doing at all, it is worth doing well." The same motto will apply to purchasing. If an article is worth purchasing, it will be found that an outlay for a good article is preferable and economical, and avoid the annoyances and vexations attended with the possession of a cheap or inferior article. The hardware at the store of Messrs. Straub & Gross, 71 Federal street, is made from the best of material, and offered to the trade at corresponding low prices. Give them a call at their establishment, No. 71 Federal street, Allegheny.

Something Good.

George Beilstein, one of the very best butchers in the Allegheny market, has provided himself with six fancy beeves which he will serve to his old friends and such new ones as the exquisite quality of his meat will attract. All who desire choice and savory roasts or steaks, and who does not? should visit the stall of Mr. George Beilstein, No. 12, in the Allegheny market, from this to Christmas, or, indeed, at any other time, for he never buys or butchers anything but select and well fatted cattle, and is besides a very pleasant man to deal with. TFM

The Ladies

Should not fail to attend the great clearance sale at the Philadelphia Emporium, No. 76 Market street. All goods have been marked down. Besides a general assortment of Hemstitched Handkerchiefs for ladies, gents and children, a full line of Motto and Lace Handkerchiefs, also Lace Collars, from 10c to $10. Linen Sets, Kid Gloves, Cloth Gloves, Wool and Silk Scarfs, Bows, Gilt Jewelry, Workboxes, Pocket-books, Cigar Cases, Hats, Plumes, Bird of Paradise Feathers, Embroideries, Infant's Robes, Ladies' Underwear are offered at astonishingly low prices. Remember No. 76 Market street. 4.

Anthracite Coal, &c.

Our citizens were indebted to Messrs. Laing & McKallip, 347 Liberty street, for a more abundant supply of good screened Anthracite Coal last winter than had been usual in Pittsburgh and Allegheny, and as they sold it cheaper than ever before, the number of consumers was largely increased. They are repeating a like service this winter. Their stock is large, of different qualities, the quality good, and the price even lower than before. They also continue to supply the best qualities of Hydraulic Cement, Lime, and Crude and Calcined Plaster of Paris.

"Charity Covereth a Multitude of Sins."

Winter, cold and piercing, is upon us, and while it is to many a season of greater festivity, yet to the very many it means privations, wants and sometimes beggary. For the purpose of relieving the sufferings of the orphan poor, an "Orphans' Fair" is now in progress in the Cathedral basement. Those who are rich in the comforts of home should not fail to attend and give to the poor. Let those who are well provided think of those in distress, and give freely and feel that satisfaction of mind which springs from an investment made in the name of charity.

Highway Robbery.

Several nights since one of Alderman Crist's officers, who resides in the Sixth ward, Allegheny, when on his way home was set upon by two men, one of whom struck him with his fist, and before he could offer any resistance the officer was felled to the ground by a blow in the face with some blunt instrument. After being knocked down it appears he was kicked in the bowels, after which the desperadoes took from his pockets some $110 and a revolver. Some time during the night the officer recovered consciousness, obtained assistance and was taken to his home. No clue to the villains has been obtained.

Always at His Post,

is our worthy neighbor Mr. Max Schamberg. During his business hours—from nine to four o'clock, you can find him at 163 Smithfield street, ready to sell you a passage ticket to or from Europe, drafts on any principal city of of Europe, railroad tickets to Chicago, St. Louis, &c., the latter considerably below the usual fare, to forward parcels to the Old Country and to do all other business connected with foreign countries. Mr. S. has greater facilities for European business than most of other agents or bankers on account of his direct connections. He will serve you as a Notary in the way of probating accounts, and taking acknowledgements. Don't forget our friend Schamberg.

The Wants of the People Supplied.

The steadily increasing demand, for choice goods in the jewelry line upon our friends, Messrs. J. R. Reed & Co., at No. 68 Fifth avenue, has we are happy to state, been supplied. With the facilities that this house has it will be an impossibility for the customer to call for an article that, if not on hand, will not be promptly manufactured or ordered. We shall day by day take the principle articles they have in stock, and specify in detail, as to the many and various styles that are to be found at this establishment. To our readers, we commend the firm of Messrs. Reed & Co., and their full lines will be represented, just what they are. Give them a call, 68 Fifth avenue.

Railway Accidents.

Frank Dixon, a brakeman on the P. F. W. & C. Railway, was yesterday morning caught between two freight cars at the outer depot, Allegheny, and sustained a fracture of the right thigh, and other bruises. The unfortunate man is a resident of Livermore. He was taken to the City Hospital, in the Twelfth ward.

On Wednesday Mr. Mayburn, a brakeman on the freight train No. 11, Fort Wayne road, fell from the rear car to the track, when the train was near Alliance, Ohio. He sustained no very serious injury, aside from being knocked insensible for a short time. He was brought back to his boarding-house on Sedgwick street, Allegheny, where he is now doing well.

THE COURTS.

Yesterday's Proceedings.

CRIMINAL COURT—JUDGE COLLIER.

John A. McGraw and George McGraw, who plead guilty to committing an assault upon Mr. Conway, Principal in the public schools in the Fifth ward, Allegheny, were called up for sentence. John was sentenced to pay the costs and a fine of two hundred dollars. George, the younger brother, who was suspended from school, was sentenced to pay the costs and a fine of two hundred and fifty dollars.

Louis Shaffner and S. M. Thompson were tried on an indictment charging them with committing an aggravated assault and battery upon Thomas Thompson. The jury found Shaffner guilty, but acquitted Thompson. Sentence deferred.

Patrick Sigh, indicted for larceny, was acquitted by the jury. He was charged with taking nine pairs of boys' boots from George Watkins.

John Hanna was indicted for the larceny of some carpenter tools belonging to Hugh Parkhill. When the case was called up he entered a plea of guilty, and was sent to the work house for sixty days.

Kate Gamill, indicted for the larceny of lace, valued at twelve dollars, from D. R. Lewis & Co., entered a plea of guilty. Sentence deferred.

David R. Robinson, colored, was placed on trial on a charge of aggravated assault and battery. George Johnson was the prosecutor. Both parties were employed at the St. Charles Hotel, and the prosecutor alleged that the defendant struck him a violent blow over the head with an iron ladle. Jury out.

Wm. Butler was next placed on trial on a charge of larceny, preferred by L. J. Brecht, dealer in pictures. Verdict of not guilty.

Fred. Seidle, against whom a prosecution for assault and battery was entered by Mary Neno, was found not guilty, and the prosecutrix was ordered to pay the costs.

Trial List for Friday.

Commonwealth vs.

Michael Dilvery,
Bridget Jordan,
James McDonal,
Geo. Sitter, et al.,
Thomas Henry,
Jonathan Shuyer,
Louis Seuf,
Henry Minhard,
Casper Graff,
James Nicholson,
Wm. Bair, et al.,
Charles Geust,
Henry Schuler,
John Peter,
Sarah Cassey,
Patrick Conner,
Clifford Ryland,
Sophia Schmidt,
Edward Scott,
Michael For,
Isaac Keefer,
Jacob Sigel.

COMMON PLEAS—JUDGES STERRETT AND STOWE.

In Judge Sterrett's branch the case of Neeland vs. Fox et al., is still on trial.

In Judge Stowe's branch the case of G. A. Mundort vs. Eli Burford and C. C. Steinmetz was taken up. Action on mechanics' lien. Jury out.

Trial List for To-day.

27. Wall vs. Wall.
29. Byers et al. vs Kountz.
39. Brown vs. Wormcastle, et al.
41. O'Connor vs. Hatch.
57. Gangwisch vs. Hoeveller's administrators.
100. Schultz & Son vs Stewart & Co.
138. (O. L.) Goering vs. Bates.
95. (O. L.) Bakewell & Marthens vs. Kauffman.

DISTRICT COURT—JUDGE KIRKPATRICK.

The evidence in the case of W. C. Robb vs. Wm. Williams, et al., was concluded yesterday afternoon, and the court will charge the jury this morning.

John M. Ewing, et. ux., vs. Dr. A. R. Thompson, administrator of Daniel Morgan, deceased. On trial.

Trial List for To-day.

103. Patrick McNulty vs. Paul Jacobs.
81. James B. Heard & Co., vs. The City of Pittsburgh.
120. John Rynd vs. J. Sharp McDonald.
70. Andrew J. Crow vs. Owners of Steamboat Gen. Larimer.
67. Mrs. E. Alexander et al. vs. William Alexander, et al.

THE RELIGIOUS AMENDMENT.

Recognition of the Supreme Being in the Constitution—Meeting in this Interest Last Night—The Advocates of the Cause Discuss the Proposition—The Annual Convention—Delegates Chosen—Who Endorse the Movement.

An Association, favoring the amending of the Constitution of the United States, so as to give it a decided Christian character, has been in existence for some years. A call has been issued for the Annual Convention to meet in Cincinnati, on the 31st day of January, 1872. Last evening, a meeting was held in the First Presbyterian church (Rev. Dr. Scovel's) to choose delegates to this Convention, and to hear addresses advocating the movement. Hon. Felix R. Brunot, President of the local Auxiliary society, took the chair at 7½, and called on Rev. W. J. Reid, who led in prayer, imploring not only the directions offered for our own rulers, but also his mercy and favor for the prospective ruler of Great Britain in his sickness.

The President then congratulated the meeting on the progress the cause had made within the past year. The opposition has sprung mainly from misapprehension as to the object we have in view. We all have revered the constitution, and in the speaker's childhood he had regarded it as sacred, and its authors as perfect men. But the battlefields of Antietam, Vicksburgh and the Wilderness have taught us how hard it has been to eradicate the evil these men saw fit to tolerate. The constitution was not perfect, nor is it so yet. We think it needs the amendment we are urging, and we urge it because we deem it right. An objection is that we are uniting Church and State, but there is an article of the constitution which distinctly forbids this, and this we hold dear: "Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion or prohibiting the free exercise thereof."

The minutes of the last annual meeting were read by the Secretary, Rev. D. B. Willson, with the report of the Treasurer, Daniel Chestnut, Esq., which showed a surplus. The call for the annual meeting was then read, and is as follows:

Call for a National Convention to meet in Thoms' Hall, Cincinnati, Jan. 31, 1872.

GOVERNMENT is instituted for man as an intellectual, social, and moral and religious being. It corresponds to his whole nature. It is intended to protect and advance the higher as well as the lower interests of humanity. It acts for its legitimate purposes when it watches over domestic life, and asserts and enforces the sanctity of the marriage bond; when it watches over intellect and education, and furnishes means for developing all the faculties of the mind; when it frowns on profaneness, lewdness, the desecration of the Sabbath, and other crimes which injure society chiefly by weakening moral and religious sentiment, and degrading the character of a people.

Acting for such purposes, government should be established on moral principles. Moral principles of conduct are determined by moral relations. The relations of a nation to God and his moral laws are clear and definite: 1. A nation is the creature of God. 2. It is clothed with authority derived from God. 3. It is under the dominion of Jesus Christ, the appointed Ruler of nations. 4. It is subject to the Bible, the special revelation of the moral law. In constituting and administering its government, then a nation is under obligations to acknowledge God as the author of its existence and the source of its authority, Jesus Christ as its ruler, and the Bible as the fountain of its laws and the supreme rule of its conduct.

Up to the time of the adoption of the National Constitution, acknowledgments of this kind were made by all the States. They are yet made by many States. And in the actual administration of the national government the principle is admitted. But the fundamental law of the nation, the Constitution of the United States, on which our government rests, and according to which it is to be administered, fails to make, *fully* and explicitly, any such acknowledgment. This failure has fostered among us mischievous ideas like the following: The nation, as such, has no relations to God; its authority has no higher source than the will of the people; government is instituted only for the lower wants of man; the State goes beyond its sphere when its educates religiously, or legislates against profanity or Sabbath desecration.

The National Association, which has been been formed for the purpose of securing such an amendment to the Constitution as will remedy this great defect, and indicate that this is a Christian nation, and place all Christian laws, institutions, and usages in our government on an undeniable legal basis in the fundamental law of the nation, invites all American citizens who favor such an amendment, without distinction of party or creed, to meet in Thomas' Hall, Cincinnati, January 31, 1872, at 2 o'clock P. M.

WILLIAM STRONG, U. S. SUPREME COURT,
President of the National Association.

VICE PRESIDENTS.

His Excellency, John W. Geary, Governor of Pennsylvania.
His Excellency, John W. Stewart, Governor of Vermont.
His Excellency, James M. Harvey, Governor of Kansas.
The Hon. James Pollock, Ex-Governor of Pennsylvania.
The Hon. Marshall Jewell, Ex-Governor of Connecticut.
The Hon Wm. Murray, Supreme Court of New York.
Felix R. Brunot, Esq., Pittsburgh, Pa.
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Prof. Tayler Lewis, LL. D., Union College, New York.
Prof. Julius H. Seelye, D. D., Amherst College, Mass.
The Right Rev. Charles P. McIlvaine, D. D., LL. D., Bishop of the Diocese of Ohio.
The Rev. A. A. Miner, D. D., President of Tuft's College, Mass.
The Rev. Jonathan Edwards, D. D., Baltimore, Md.
The Rev. J. H. McIlvaine, D. D., Newark, N. J.
Prof. O. N. Stoddard, LL. D., Wooster University, Ohio.
The Rev. M. Simpson, D. D., Bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church.
The Rev. J. Blanchard, D. D., President of Wheaton College, Ill.
John S. Hart, LL. D., Principal of State Normal School, N. J.
The Right Rev. John B. Kerfoot, D. D., Bishop of the Diocese of Pittsburgh.
The Right Rev. F. D. Huntington, D. D., Bishop of the Diocese of Central New York.
The Rev. T. L. Cuyler, D. D., Brooklyn.
The Rev. Levi Scott, D. D., Bishop of the M. E. Church, Delaware.

The following gentlemen of Cincinnati concur in the foregoing call: The Rev. E. D. Morris, D. D., the Rev. A. A. E. Taylor, the Rev. B. P. Aydelott, D. D., the Rev. A. Richie, the Rev. Joseph Chester, the Rev. C. E. Babb, D. D., the Rev. A. D. Mayo, D. D., Samuel Fisher, Esq., A. H. McGuffey, Esq., H. A. Morrill, Esq., Wm. Strunk, Esq., the Rev. C. H. Taylor, D. D., the Rev. O. A. Hills, the Rev. Reuben Jeffery, D. D., John Shillito, Esq., the Hon. D. K. Este, Peter Gibson, Esq., the Rev. Thomas S. Yocom, the Rev. Geo. F. Bagbee, the Right Rev. Charles P. McIlvaine, D. D., J. H. Feldwisch, Esq., the Rev. C. Saure, the Hon. W. Van Hamm, the Hon. M. B. Hagans, the Rev. Chas. Thompson, Henry Martin, Esq., the Rev. W. H. French, the Rev. H. H. George.

The meeting then resolved to choose delegates to this Convention, and Revs. A. M. Milligan, J. R. Kerr and Dr. S. A. Sterrett were appointed a Committee on Nominations.

STATE RELIGION OR STATE IRRELIGION—WHICH?

Rev. D. McAllister, of New York, the General Secretary of the National Association then addressed the meeting substantially as follows:

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen:

This is the question now up before the American people for definite settlement. The question may take various forms, such as: Is this a Christian nation, and shall it govern itself accordingly? or, Shall government be entirely divorced from religion? But whatever form it may take, the issue involved is the same.

Nor will it meet this issue to answer that the state should have nothing whatever to do with religion—should neither favor it nor oppose it, but let it alone. The difficulty is that in the very nature of things it is impossible for the State to occupy a position of neutrality in regard to religion. It must either favor it or oppose it. It must be either for Christianity or against it.

The nature of the State proves this. The analogy between it and a business corporation will not hold. The latter is a mere accident of civilization. The former is a necessity of human existence. Nobody is born a member of any business corporation. Every human being is born into some state. No business corporation is a sovereign power. It is chartered by the State, which is sovereign, chartered by no human authority and clothed with power to execute penal evil upon the wrong-doer even unto the deserved capital punishment of the murderer, and to drag men, if necessary for the national defense from their homes and set them up as marks for cannon balls and minie bullets upon the field of death. Such a being as the State, then, clothed with sovereign power coming from God himself and amenable directly to God, cannot be indifferent to man's true relations to God and his laws—in other words to religion.

Besides, the religion of the great body of the people of a State is a part which cannot be ignored. The greatest thinkers have always recognized this. Hegel tells us in his Philosophy of History that "their idea of God constitutes the general foundation of a people. Whatever is the form of religion, the same is the form of a State and its constitution;" that is, its unwritten constitution. Max Muller dwells on the same truth in his third lecture on the science of religion: "It is language and religion that make a people, but religion is even a more powerful agent than language." So Cicero said of old: "*Religio inhæret in republica.*"

According to this philosophical view, the Christian religion has been from the origin of this nation the great fact of our national life. Every State, at the time of the adoption of the National Constitution, did in some form acknowledge the Christian religion by the whole course of its action. Christianity has been our greatest social force, evolving the actual facts of the national life—such as our system of education, with the Bible in the common schools; oaths of office and in courts of justice; chaplains in legislative halls and in the army and navy, etc., etc. The nation in its earlier days never thought of trying to do that impossible thing of standing on a *punctum indifferens* in regard to religion. At the time of the adoption of the Constitution, "any attempt," says Justice Story in his commentaries, "to degrade Christianity to the level of other religions, and make it a matter of state policy to hold all in utter indifference, would have created universal disapprobation, if not universal indignation." To degrade Christianity to the level of false religions would be to oppose it. At present in our system of education we favor it. We teach history on the basis of the standard of Christian ethics. Webster's dictionary defines all words of ethical meaning by the same standard. Some such standard must be used, if the State is to teach at all. And if State schools do not accept the standard of the Christian religion, they must accept some opposing one. The question of the reading of the Bible in our schools, important as it is, is still in itself a very subordinate question. The true issue is, shall the State teach history, language, or any branch of learning, out of its true relations to the great principles of morals and religion as given in the Bible.

Thus, as a matter of fact, our nation has had to do with religion. The history of our country accords with the sound political philosophy which says: "The State *must* have some moral ideas, some system of ethics, some sanctions or grounds of appeal to the conscience, without which morality is but a name, if not rather a cheating immorality." Men may thoughtlessly cry out, that the State has nothing to do with religion but let it alone; yet when they take time to look this momentous question through, and see what the principle affirmed necessarily involves as to education and other national matters, it is to be hoped they will candidly reconsider their position and become friends of that movement which insists that as we are a Christian people, it is right for us to say so in our fundamental law and govern ourselves accordingly.

There is another illustration of this topic, Mr. Chairman, to which in your presence, sir, I may only advert. In other circumstances, I might dwell upon it at greater length.

For many long years the record of our nation's dealings with the aboriginal inhabitants of this country had put every Christian and patriot among us to the blush. Repeatedly would there come to our ears from the distant West, the most harrowing details of scenes of massacre and pillage. Savages, reeking scalping-knives, murdered women and children, were the features of the hideous picture, lit up by the lurid glare of burning towns. Then the cry of summary, relentless justice, and of a war of extermination would be raised. But the facts could not be always hidden. It came to light that greed, cruelty and plunder were not confined to the Indian. They, untutored, uncivilized, without sympathy, friendless, were subjected to everything calculated to exasperate them and drive them to desperation, by grasping, merciless, godless men. The country was at last stung with reproach at the gross mismanagement of our Indian affairs, and demanded a change. The minds of the people, unconsciously it may have been, turned to a divinely approved direction: "Choose out from among you able men, such as fear God, and hate covetousness," and set them to adjust these miserably mismanaged affairs. The President in cordial consonance with the unanimous desire of our best citizens everywhere, carried out that divine direction. And the consequence is that from that day to this the record of our Board of Indian Commissioners has turned our consciousness of shame into a sense of worthy national pride.

Now, sir, it cannot be doubted by any one who studies our political condition that the enemies of the Christian features of our nation are becoming stronger and bolder every day. They insist that the Bible shall be expelled from our schools; that the State shall not be Christian, nor educate nor legislate on the basis of Christian morals, but that it shall be non-religious, or strictly irreligious or infidel: that it shall become, as it has been well put, "the very nursery of that fell atheism which *will* not rest, which *cannot* rest, until it has banished, not from the letter of the Constitution only, but from all political action, from all judicial proceedings, from the whole public life, every idea, every form, every observance—such as the oath, the moral language of indictments, the solemn sentences of courts, the recognition of any sacred time in legislative and judicial proceedings, every acknowledgement, in short, of a God, or of any religious sanction, belief, or worship, that has heretofore entered into the national life or the national thinking. All must be wiped out until our whole political page becomes a purely unbelieving, irreligious, Christless, Godless blank.

And the worst of it is that this growing party have at least some good show in claiming our national constitution to be on their side. It studiously omits the name of God from the form of oath which it prescribes. Unlike all the precedents of our early history, it acknowledges no relation to God or Christianity. It has been authoritatively interpreted as an instrument, according to which "the Government of the United States is in no sense founded on the Christian religion." Decisions used to be common which declared, like that of Chandler Kent—Christianity, in its enlarged sense, as a religion taught and revealed in the Bible, is part and parcel of the law of this land. Now, many decisions are given by leading judges maintaining that Christianity is *not* part of the law of the country. Story, as we have seen, said that the American people would have rejected with indignation any attempt to make it a matter of State policy to hold all religions in utter indifference. And yet it is now boldly maintained by many courts, as well as by avowed infidels and atheists, that the theory of the Constitution of the United States is that all religions and irreligion and infidelity, are on a perfect equality, and the Government must hold all, including Christianity, in utter indifference. This theory is every year more boldly asserted. And it must be met. To meet it and the efforts of its advocates to break down the existing Christian features of our national life, the National Association to secure the religious amendment of the Constitution of the United States has been formed. And just in proportion as the matter is fairly presented before the American people, does the movement grow in volume and strength. While arranging for the approaching Convention in Cincinnati, one of the leading judges of the State said to me: "As surely as God reigns in heaven, and the Bible is His word of eternal truth, this movement must succeed." Another of equal standing remarked: "I have been watching this movement. It has my warmest sympathy. Christian sentiment as to government in this country is crystalizing, and this is the form it must take."

Let us be roused to the greatness of the work before us. Let the people of the land be made clearly to apprehend the real issue. Then, when the issue is joined, as joined before very long it must be, as a Christian people we will say that our Government may not and shall not be divorced from our common Christianity, and to settle the question forever, we shall avow ourselves in our fundamental law to be a Christian nation, and with that avowal there as the expression of the conviction of the great majority of the people, we shall practically in the administering of all our affairs, prove ourselves to be one of "the Kingdoms of our Lord and of his Christ."

The Right Rev. J. B. Kerfoot, D.D., then spoke. He had espoused this cause two years ago, and deemed that the proposed amendment expressed what our nation has been, and ought to continue to be, a resolution that we will fear God and keep his commandments. The people will not yield to the demands of infidels. Yet to preserve the character of a Christian people, we need the diffusion of Bible truth. In dealing with the aborigines, the Government has recognized Christian Missions as the best agency, and Christianity and civilization are to go hand in hand. He would pray for wisdom and grace in the coming Convention.

Rev. S. F. Scovel then followed, and said that he believed the popular objections rather than the philosophical needed to be met, and the great one was that we were uniting church and state. Is there no progress? Cannot the family, the church and the state each recognize its relations to God without harm? Religion strengthens the state. Objections will develope the true relations of religion and the state. Some say the movement cannot succeed. Its success is no more improbable than that of freedom was. It *must* triumph. The conflict is between infidelity and religion, and when the people come to understand this, they will vote overwhelmingly for religion, as they fought for freedom.

Mr. S. Collins, of the U. P. Board of Publication then spoke. The contest is upon us, and our only security is in knowing that the heavens do rule. Our law has now educational power for us in religion, as it should have; that has been so safe in the past. Christianity is security, and some infidels feel and say that they have nothing as good to offer.

After these addresses, the Committee on Delegates reported the following names which were chosen:

Hon. F. R. Brunot,
Rev. S. Collins,
Rev. Wm. Fulton,
Jas. McMaster, Esq.,
W. Reed, Esq., Sewickly,
Rev. S. F. Scovel,
T. H. Rabe, Esq.,
Rev. Dr. Sloane,
Daniel Wilson, Esq.,
Jos. McNaugher, Esq.

A collection was taken up for the Local Association, and the meeting adjourned with prayer and benediction by Rev. [illegible] of Allegheny city.

THE OIL MEN'S SUIT.

That Equity Case—The Plea of the Defendants—A Partnership Alleged—"The Pittsburgh Petroleum Company"—How the Case Stands.

Our readers will remember that we published, a few months ago, the affidavit of Mr. David Hostetter, filed in the Court of Common Pleas, in which he alleged that he had advanced certain moneys to Messrs. Warden, Frew & Co., for the purchase of oil, and that no full and complete account of the transaction had ever been made to him, wherefore he proposed that the Court order Messrs. Warden, Frew & Co., to render a final account and make a settlement of the business.

Yesterday the matter came up again in the Court, when the following "plea" was filed by the defendants.

David Hostetter vs. William G. Warden, William Frew and Charles Lockhart, co-partners as Warden, Frew & Co.

The plea of Wm. G. Warden, William Frew and Charles Lockhart, doing business as Warden, Frew & Co., defendants, to the bill of complaint of David Hostetter.

These defendants, by protestation, not confessing or acknowledging the matters and things in and by said bill set forth and alleged to be true, in such manner and form as the same are thereby and therein set forth and alleged, for plea to the whole of the said bill, say:

That the dealings and transactions therein alleged to have taken place between the said plaintiff and these defendants, did not take place between the said plaintiff, on the one part, and these defendants on the other part, but, in truth and fact, were part and parcel of the partnership business of a certain firm or company, doing business under the name and style of "The Pittsburgh Petroleum Oil Company," and composed of William Frew and Charles Lockhart, two of the defendants, and of David Hostetter, the said plaintiff, and of Joseph Fleming, Alexander Byers, William K. Nimick, Alexander Nimick, Samuel Lewis, Arnold Herz, and Charles Lenig;

That the partnership affairs of the said firm of the "Pittsburgh Petroleum Oil Company" are still unsettled, and that it is impossible to make a just and proper settlement of the matters and transactions narrated and alleged in the said bill, except as part and parcel of the transactions between the said firm of "The Pittsburgh Petroleum Oil Company" and the firm of Warden, Frew & Co., these defendants.

All which matters and things these defendants do aver to be true, and they plead the same in bar to the said bill, and pray the judgment of this honorable Court, whether they should be compelled to make any other or further answer to the said bill, and pray to be hence dismissed with their costs and charges in that behalf most wrongfully sustained.

ROBT. WOODS, J. H. HAMPTON, GEORGE SHIRAS, Jr., Counsel for Defendants.

City of Pittsburgh, ss.

Personally before me appeared William Frew, who, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he has read the foregoing plea, that the allegations thereof are true, as he verily believes, and that the same is not interposed for delay, and further saith not.

WM. FREW.

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 8th day of December, 1871.

A. S. NICHOLSON, Alderman.

This action will bring the matter up before the court for argument. There are about half a million dollars altogether in dispute in the matter.

The Guild Lecture Last Night.

The second lecture of the course, under the auspices of the Pittsburgh Church Guild was delivered in the lecture room of St. Andrew's church last night by Jno. H. Bailey Esq. Subject, "The Law." The lecture was evidently prepared with care and was of marked ability; a credit to the lecturer and the association. This course of lectures is entirely free and well worthy the attention of the public.

The lecturer first alluded to sources and reforms of law,—our law not of our own forming, but we have had the experience of fifteen centuries—law, one of the necessary results of Adam's fall. With us the laws of England have obtained the firmest hold, and the study of the English law necessary to a proper understanding of ours. Here was given a brief and interesting account of the origin of the English law, and, in fact, the origin of and the *natural growth* of all law. *Common law*, statute law; the difference between them was explained. The laws in reference to taxation were humorously alluded to. Commercial law came in for its due share and was characterized as "Judge-made law. If law is not the perfection of human reason it is chief ly the people's fault.

The crime of perjury was alluded to and its lamentable frequency deprecated.

The system of "complaint and answer" was alluded to and commended. A prompt modification of the jury system was advocated. This question was elaborated to a considerable extent, and while Mr. Bailey's views may have been new to many, yet they were shown to be substantially a common sense correct statement of the facts as they ordinarily occur. The law as a whole characterized as a princely heritage.

The next lecture of the course will be delivered next Thursday evening by N. K. Wade, Esq. Subject, "IRON FOUNDING."

For Sale, country store and small hotel, on P. Ft. W. & C. R. R., in Ohio. For full particulars see discription No. 583 in *Real Estate Register*. 6

Great Bargains at the grand clearance sale now going on at W. W. Moorhead's, No. 81 Market street. Ladies, you will find the prices marked down wonderfully.

ALLEGHENY COUNCILS.

Last Night's Session—The Routine Business Presented—The Board of Health to be Abolished—The Committees in Need of Funds—Light on the Sewerage Law—A Ninth Ward Muddle—A New Election Ordered.

Last night Allegheny Councils held a meeting—the last regular session of the current year—at which, as will be seen, considerable business was disposed of, some of it of an unusually interesting character.

SELECT COUNCIL.

JAMES McBRIER.......President.
J. R. OXLEY.......Clerk.

This Council came to order at half-past seven o'clock, President McBrier in the chair. Present, Messrs. Hall, Huckenstine, Kirkpatrick, Schoyer, Megraw, Mathias, Moul, Patterson, Heagy, Phillips, Reineman, Wettach and President McBrier.

The reading of the minutes of the preceeding meeting was dispensed with.

PETITIONS &C.

Mr. REINEMAN presented a petition in relation to changing the grade on the Troy Hill road. Referred.

Mr. WETTACH, petition for establishment of present grade on Lombard street; also remonstrance against the same. Referred.

Mr. PATTERSON, a petition for sewer on Park Way. Referred.

President McBRIER read a communication from the Citizens Committee appointed at a public meeting, petitioning Councils to establish a permanent Hospital and requesting Councils to take immediate action. Referred to Committee on Poor Farm.

THE STREET DEPARTMENT.

Mr. PATTERSON presented the report of the Committee on Streets with business which was disposed of as noted. Ordinance for paving of Bowen street; passed finally under a suspension of the rules. Ordinance for grading and paving of Buchanan street, Seventh ward; passed finally. Ordinance authorizing widening of Troy Hill road to an uniform width of forty feet, and appointing James Ritchie, Arthur Hobson and Joseph Myers viewers. The ordinance was accompanied by the plan of the proposed improvement. The plan which also embraced Return street, was approved and the ordinance then passed finally. Ordinance for widening Return street to an uniform width of twenty-five feet, and naming the same viewers as those on the Troy Hill road; passed finally. Profile of grades for Superior, Kerr and Refuge streets and Ohio avenue, Ninth ward. Adopted. Profile of grade of South alley from Fulton street to railroad track, Sixth ward. Adopted. The Committee also reported adversely to the petition for a sewer on Robinson street, First ward.

FINANCIAL.

Mr. HALL presented the report of the Controller for the month, showing the following recapitulation of expenditures:

No. 1. Salaries	$ 1,795 12
No. 3. Fire Department	2,865 96
No. 5. Streets	2,099 95
No. 6. Wharves	58 73
No. 7. Surveys	474 00
No. 8. Police	3,341 83
No. 9. Contingent	331 16
No. 11. Waterworks	2,717 35
No. 13. Gas	470 50
No. 15. City property	341 77
	$14,434 37

Report received and warrants ordered.

BOARD OF HEALTH EXPENSES.

Mr. HALL, Chairman of the Finance Committee, also presented their report, setting forth that the committee had a conference with Messrs. Arrott and Hanna, a committee from the Board of Health, when it appeared from the statement from the Board that $5,000 additional would be required to meet the expenses, and pay all the bills of the Board up to January 1st, 1872. The committee therefore recommended the transfer of that amount to the fund for the Board.

The Committee further recommended the abolishment of the Board of Health at the close of the year, and the transfer of their business to the Board of Poor Directors, by which it could be attended to, it was thought, as well, and with less expense.

Attached to the report were the following resolutions pertaining to matters referred to:

1st. *Resolved*, By the Select and Common Council of the city of Allegheny, that the Controller be and he is hereby instructed to transfer $5,000 from the Contingent Fund to the credit of the appropriation for the Board of Health.

2d. *Resolved*, By the Select and Common Council of the city of Allegheny, that the Controller be, and he is hereby directed to notify the collector of delinquent taxes in the Ninth ward to not require payment of sewerage tax levied on property located on Brunot's Island.

The report was received and the first resolution was adopted.

ISLAND SEWERAGE DISCUSSED.

The second resolution being called up.

Mr. MEGREW asked if the people on Herr's Island paid sewerage taxes.

Mr. MOUL—Yes, they do, and all the Eighth ward, and they don't need sewers more than the Bunot Island people.

Mr. HALL—I objected to the resolution and so did not sign the report. I think we've no right to pass it.

Mr. PHILLIPS—Were these people dragged into the city?

PRESIDENT—The territory was simply included when the Ninth ward was taken in.

Mr. PHILLIPS—Then they ought to have the privilege of paying.

The resolution was then voted down.

MORE MONEY NEEDED.

Mr. SCHOYER presented the report of the Committee on City Property, stating that they required $3,000 additional appropriation to pay their bills.

Report accepted and accompanying resolution for transfer of the amount from the Contingent Fund, adopted.

NEW SURVEYS.

Mr. HEAGEY, from the Committee on Surveys presented a report with business which were disposed of as follows: Plan of Howard street, Third and Seventh ward opening; approved. Ordinance for extension of Slope alley; passed finally. Ordinance for opening of Mary street to an uniform width of forty feet, and naming John A. Myler, John and James Frazier as viewers.

Mr. WETTACH—I move to lay that over, I promised to look at that and I've not done so yet.

Ordinance laid over.

Mr. WETTACH, from the Committee on Water, reported that they needed $2,500 additional appropriation to pay bills for the current year.

Report received and accompanying resolution authorizing the transfer of the amount from the Contingent Fund.

Mr. HUCKENSTINE—Isn't that Contingent Fund about exhausted. (Laughter.)

Mr. HALL—I know the gentleman (Mr. Wettach) would not ask for money if it was not needed. The Contingent Fund, however, had been exhausted some time ago. You all know how its kept up though. We borrow money and put in it. We must pay our bills somehow.

Unfinished business was then taken up. The ordinance in relation to the erection of a fence on North Canal street to do do away the "bark unloading nuisance" was called up. In S. C. it had been adopted. C. C. non-concurred and asked for Committee on Conference. S. C. adhered to former action and referred it to Ordinance Committee.

THE "CENTRAL ALARM."

The report of the Committee on Fire Engines, with resolution authorizing the erection of a central fire alarm bell, which had been passed in C. C., was called up and laid over.

The ordinance for the opening of Palo Alto street, laid over at a previous meeting, was called up and again postponed until next meeting.

Mr. MOUL offered a resolution instructing the Street Commissioner to have railings put up along roads leading from East Ohio street to West Penn Railroad crossing, on Pine, McFadden and Bridge streets, Eighth ward. Referred to Street Commission.

AFTER THE RAILROAD COMPANIES.

Mr. KIRKPATRICK, a resolution instructing the City Solicitor to bring suit at once against the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago Railroad Company for violation of city ordinance in building a side track on the "commons" and using it as a side switch for the storage of cars.

Mr. KIRKPATRICK said he had observed the building of the track but did not know what it meant until he saw the cars standing there. He thought it was well to commence the fight at once and see if the city had any authority in the matter.

The resolution was adopted.

Mr. MOORE presented a resolution requiring the West Penn Railroad Company to station a flagman at each of the points within the city limits where their tracks crossed streets.

President McBRIER—You'd better make it some person's business to see that this is enforced.

Mr. HUCKENSTINE—I think there is an ordinance to that effect and the Mayor should be requested to enforce it.

President McBRIER—(facetiously) If the Mayor don't attend to his duty you'd better indict him.

The resolution was then referred to the Committee on Ordinance with instructions to report an ordinance covering the grounds.

Mr. MATHIAS, member of the Ninth ward, presented his resignation on the grounds that he had removed into McClure township.

Mr. PATTERSON—I think the gentleman might make a speech before he leaves.

Mr. MATHIAS—I may say that so far as I have been in Councils I am well satisfied. The gentlemen have all been very kind, and whenever we have asked for anything for the Ninth Ninth ward, we have got it. I thank you all for your courtesy.

MR. HALL RAISES A FINE POINT.

Mr. HALL—The gentleman's resignation calls up a matter that I'd like to have explained. Were not two members elected to Select Council in the Ninth ward at the last election?

Mr. MATHIAS—The President can explain that.

President McBRIER—Well all I can say is that I saw by the newspapers that two members have been elected but don't know where they get the authority.

The newspaper men smiled benignly and were about to elucidate the problem when

Mr. PATTERSON said that the Mayor's proclamation had ordered the election of two members for Select Council for the Ninth ward. He did not know by what authority.

President McBRIER—I noticed that in the proclamation, and called the Mayor's attention to it. He contended that he had the power to declare the seat of any member vacant. (Consternation and laughter among the members.) I argued different, and held that the vacancy could only be so officially by the resignation of a member, or by a declaration from Council. A member legally holds his seat until either one of these actions takes place. That has been decided time and again.

Mr. HALL—It was so in Pittsburgh when although it was shown that a member had moved from the district he was supposed to represent, yet Councils refused to declare his seat vacant and he presided over the Common Councils for the remainder of the term.

After some further discussion

Mr. HALL moved the acceptance of the resignation. Carried.

A NEW ELECTION ORDERED.

Mr. PATTERSON—I move that the Mayor be authorised to issue his proclamation for a new election in the Ninth ward to fill the vacancy.

Mr. WETTACH—Oh let it go. The have elected now.

Mr. SCHOYER—We can't. It's not legal.

Mr. MOUL—So far as that's concerned its just as legal as Mr. Matthias retaining his seat for four months after he moved out of the ward.

President McBRIER—Well, I've taken legal counsel in the matter, and from what I can learn, there is no vacancy until so disclared by Council, and if it is not so done the member can hold his seat even if he is not living in the ward.

Mr. PATTERSON—I suppose that if no objection was made that these persons could both take seats, but any citizen could object.

Mr. PHILLIPS—Isn't the new man a Democrat? Isn't that the rub? [Laughter.]

There was a general profession of ignorance as to the gentleman's political status.

THE STATUS OF THE NEW MEN.

Mr. HUCKENSTINE—Which of the men is elected? How shall we decide? According to the law the man receiving the highest number of votes is elected to the long term. Now how can we tell who has received the highest number of votes if there is no authority for electing two men?

This legal difficulty was bridged over by the statement that the candidates had "run" for one and two years, and that the two year man was all right. The election was only invalid in reference to the one year candidate, who was to take the place of Mr. Mathias.

The resolution ordering a new election was then passed.

President McBRIER said that as this was the last regular meeting for the current year, and all the business had not been finished, some arrangements should be made for a special meeting.

After some discussion, it was agreed to leave this matter to the Presidents of Councils to call the special session as soon as the annual reports from the officers were ready—the meeting, if possible, is to be held the last Friday of the present month.

Adjourned.

COMMON COUNCIL.

ALFRED SLACK.......President.
ROBERT DILWORH.......Clerk.

Council met at half past seven o'clock, the following members being present: Messrs. Ashworth, Brown, Comley, Cooke, Hastings, Knox, McNeill, McRobets, Rowbottom, Reed, Smith, Shipman, Voegtly, and President Slack.

The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

RESOLUTIONS AND PETITIONS.

Mr. HUNKER presented a petition for hanging gas lamp on Rebecca street. Referred to Committee on Gas.

Mr. HASTINGS—For gas lamp on Union avenue, opposite the First United Presbyterian Church. Referred.

REPORT OF MARKET COMMITTEE.

Mr. COMLEY from the Committee on Markets, reported the following receipts for the month of November:

Clerk of Markets	$1,142 80
Second ward Scales	399 98
Diamond Scales	250 38
Fourth Ward Scales	24 00
Total	$1,817 16

The report was received and filed.

THE COMMITTEE ON GAS.

Mr. ROWBOTTOM, from the Committee on Gas, presented a report, with a resolution for lamp-posts as follows:

On corner of Federal and Lacock streets.
Lacock street, between Federal and Factory streets.
Corner of Morgan and South Canal streets.
Corner of Lake alley and Fulton street.
Chartiers street, opposite Lake alley.
River street, Eighth ward, two lamps.
First street, between James street and Cedar avenue.
Second street, between James street and Cedar avenue.

Also, to lay pipes on First and Second streets, between James street and Cedar avenue.

The report was received and resolution adopted.

THE ORDINANCE COMMITTEE.

Mr. ASHWORTH, of the Ordinance Committee, presented the report of the committee, embodying the following ordinances:

An ordinance relative to awarding contracts:

Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils, and it is hereby enacted by authority of the same, That that portion of Section 18, Page 125, of the Revised City Code, which relates to the awarding of contracts, be so amended that after proposals shall have been invited, and received, the committee having charge of such business shall be duly called and said proposals opened in the presence of said committee, and the contract awarded by them to the lowest and best bidder.

SEC. 2. All ordinances or parts thereof inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance the same are hereby repealed.

The committee also reported favorably on supplement to the ordinance creating a Board of Health, which supplement requires certificates of all deaths occurring within the city limits.

In relation to the ordinance requiring that all contracts shall be awarded in the presence of a majority of the committee to which the business may be referred, the committee reported with favorable recommendations an ordinance covering the ground.

The report was received and the ordinance relative to the awarding of contracts, and also one authorizing a fence on North Canal street, were passed finally.

The ordinance providing for certificates of death to be issued at the decease of any person, was passed on its first reading, and laid over under the rules.

BUSINESS FROM SELECT COUNCIL.

The following business was presented from Select Council and the action of that branch concurred in the following matters:

Petition in favor of present grade on Lombard street.
Communication from R. R. Mowry, chairman of citizens' meeting, with reference to permanent hospital.
Resolution relative to hospital.
Ordinance for widening Return street.
For grading Buchanan street, Seventh ward.
For grading and paving Bowen street, from Grant avenue to Sturgeon street.
Report of Committee on Streets.
Petition for a lateral sewer on Park Way.
Ordinance for widening of Troy Hill Road.
Remonstrance to grade of Lambard street.
Petition relative to the grade of Troy Hill.

The ordinance for the opening of Slope alley, adopted in S. C., was, in C. C., laid over under the rules, there being a remonstrance against it.

SHOULD THE ISLANDERS BE TAXED?

A resolution had been recommended by the Finance Committee exonerating the residents of Brunot's Island from a sewerage tax. The resolution had been lost in S. C.

It was moved to non-concur with Select Council, and to adopt the resolution.

Considerable discussion ensued on this question, and finally the yeas and nays were called.

The President suggested that the question be divided, and that the vote be taken first on the question of non-concurrence.

Mr. McNEIL moved to non-concur with S. C.

The yeas and nays were called on the motion, with the following result: Yeas—Messrs. Hunker, Knox, McNeil, McRoberts, Rowbottom, Smith, Shipman and President Slack.—8.

Nays—Messrs. Ashworth, Brown, Comley, Cooke, Hastings, Voegtly, Walters—7.

The motion for non-concurrence was therefore decided to be carried.

The motion now recurred on the adoption of the resolution.

Mr. HASTINGS—Will adopting a resolution change an ordinance? We have an ordinance covering this matter, and this resolution is in direct opposition to it. The motion on the adoption of the resolution is out of order.

President SLACK—The point of order is well taken. There is therefore no question before the house.

The Controller's report was presented from Select Council, and the action of that branch thereon concurred in.

THE OPENING OF SLOPE ALLEY.

Mr. KNOX moved to suspend the rules in order to take up the ordinance authorizing the opening of Slope alley, and put it on its final passage. This alley is in the Second ward, between Carroll and Jefferson streets.

Mr. VOGTLY stated that it was intended to present a remonstrance against such opening.

Mr. ASWORTH—The alley is open at both ends, and there is but one lot interfering with its entire opening.

The PRESIDENT—If that be the case, the alley ought to be open.

The rules were suspended and the ordinance passed.

A RESOLUTION FOR GAS LAMP.

Mr. KNOX offered a resolution that the Superintendent of the Water Works be authorized to place a gas lamp at the corner of Juniata street and Western avenue.

SELECT COUNCIL BUSINESS

was again taken up with the following action:

Resolution relative to placing rails on East Ohio street. Concurred in.

Instructing City Solicitor to proceed against the P. Ft. W. & C. Railway for violation of City ordinance. C. C. concurred.

Resolution instructing Street Commissioner to enforce ordinance relative to obstructing streets.

Resolution appropriating $5,000 to the Board of Health.

The clerk now notified Select Council that C. C. was ready to adjourn, if there was no other business from that branch claiming their attention. A response came from the "other end" that they had nothing further, and the President desired to know if the members were ready to adjourn.

BRUNOT'S ISLAND AGAIN.

Mr. SHIPMAN desired to present an ordinance exempting the residents of Brunot's Island from payment of sewerage tax.

On motion, laid over until next meeting, to allow time and opportunity for putting the ordinance into proper shape.

THOSE TREE BOXES.

Mr. HASTING presented a resolution authorizing the City Property Committee to have suitable tree boxes placed around the trees on Federal street, opposite City Hall. Adopted.

On motion adjourned.

ALMOST LOST.

A Child Falls into a Cesspool—Rescued After Great Difficulty.

Last night about seven a little child named Simpkins, four years of age, by some accident fell into a cesspool attached to its parents' residence, in Hay's Court, off Liberty street. It fell a distance of twenty-two feet, and after being in nearly an hour—the mother being in hysterics all the time—a Mr. Welsh procured a ladder and went to the rescue. He found the child standing up to its neck in water and almost exhausted through cold. It was brought up and Dr. Supfras called in, who rendered medical aid and restored it to vigor again. The vault had just been cleaned out the evening previous or the result might have been different.

Buchanan Letter List, Dec. 15, 1871.

Barrisford Jas
Brown Saml K
Brickel F L
Brown S Miss
Beck M E Mrs
Brannen Pat
Bateman H
Batten M Miss
Blyle Robert
Campbell S
Cashdollar M E
Camp R Miss
Crawford Jacob
Campbell J Mrs
Campbell n & J
Crouse C
Cunningham P
Cook Wm
Collins R W Mrs
Cooley Harris
Cliff John L
Davis J A
Downes Sidney
Dilane John
Darbey Ellen
Ennock P
Fogle Thos E
Fortune Wm G
Frederick M A
Guy Caroline
Henderson F
Horn Josephine
Harris Mrs H
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Harkins Aggie
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Horan Mathew
Howenstein G
Hamilton Robt
John Sarah J
Irwin Kate
Irwin W H
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Jones Thomas
Jackson M B
King Clara
Kays Mary Ann
Keefer John
Kadie Mrs S
Keefer Wm
Kelly Elizabeth
Laton John B
Sunder John
Lewis John S
Leonard Patk
Miller Samuel
Mathews Geo L
Morgan Martha
Metz Chas
Moody M
Morgan Miss H
Mason J F
Moor Wm
Morgan John
McClatchey J B
McBride John
McCabe Peter
McDonald Thos
McMurry Chas
McCombs W M
Sorrell Lucy
O'Donnell R
Pastorius John
Patton Tilda
Proper Fannie
Priesy S
Roberts Henry
Rea John
Reed Watson
Richards Jane
Reese D F
Runel J mes
Rodgers C J
Raybeck Joe
Ramsey N P
Rumbach N
Rodheaver S H
Robinson Hanna
Reese Evan
Reese David D
Smith Philip
Springer D R
Sellers George
Slattery Ed
Story Mathew
Simpson S R
Thompson Robt
Taylor Mary A
Tiernan John
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White Mrs M
Whale Anthony
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As a Holiday Present,

We offer the *ne plus ultra* of holiday presents in the WEED "FAMILY FAVORITE" SEWING MACHINES, which we present to the public, after a test of years, as the very best machine the market affords. *Simple in construction and operation*, its capacity for any kind of work is unequalled. It is furnished at as low prices as any other *first class* machine, and is more complete in its outfit of attachments than any other of *any* class. Machines are sold on easy payments, full instructions given and every care taken to render entire satisfaction. All we ask is a call and careful examination of the "Weed" before deciding elsewhere. tf

Holiday Beef.

I have now on exhibition a four year ol heifer weighing 2,000 pounds, which I will slaughter about 22d instant, and will offer for a few days the most luscious and toothsome roasts and steaks in the city. No extra charge. Corner of Wylie and Tunnel.

J. URBAN.

No regard to cost in the prices now prevailing at W. W. Moorhead's grand clearing out sale of trimmings, laces, gloves, handkerchiefs, hosiery, under garments, etc. Now is the time to buy your winter goods at great bargains at No. 81 Market street.

Special

bargains in table linens.

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BREVITIES.

THE turkey question—"Which piece do you prefer?"

HON. R. W. MACKEY will have no opposition for the State Treasurership this time.

THE porcine family have had a big run of slaying, and still there is no sign of a break up.

JANAUSCHECK as Mary Stuart delighted the citizens of Titusville on Wednesday evening.

REV. DANIEL SCHINDLER, of the *Christian Radical*, lectures on "Colorado and the Rocky Mountains," on the 29th.

JUDGE HAMPTON, who was struck with paralysis, on Wednesday evening, was much better yesterday and is slowly recovering.

AT half-past one o'clock this morning, the Central station house had eight occupants, all in on account of drunkenness and disorderly conduct.

VIEUXTEMPS, who performed here with Nilsson last winter, has accepted the position of first professor of the violin at the Brussels conservatory.

TWENTY ONE thousand dollars of stock was recently subscribed to start a new Democratic daily paper in this city but we believe the matter rested.

FROST-BITTEN limbs should be immediately bathed in cold water, and rubbed until heat is restored. Avoid warming numbed hands and feet at the fire.

MR. FRANK W. SMITH, for several years past roadmaster on the Connellsville road, has resigned his position for the purpose of accepting one on a western road.

THE COAL MEN are raising a subscription for the purpose of having the channel of the Monongahela river, under the Panhandle Railroad bridge, cleaned of its obstructions.

THE proof sheets of the *People's Monthly* for December have been sent us by Messrs. W. G. Johnson & Co. We have never seen any finer printing than that of the first page. Not even in the *Aldine*.

THERE is nothing like the pure, cold air of winter to give such health and vitality to the blood that it can paint roses on the cheeks that will not wash out—a natural freshness to the complexion that will not easily fade.

PETER FRIES, an employee in the glass house of Knox & Kim, South Pittsburgh, was, on Wednesday afternoon, accidentally struck on the head with a sledge hammer being used by a fellow workman. A fracture of the skull was the result, and it is feared the sufferer will not survive.

CONGRESS STREET, in the Seventh ward, is in a very bad condition, being in many places covered with ice, and in others almost blockaded with bricks and debris. Hazel street is also in a similar condition as regards ice. At one point horses have to be driven on the sidewalk to pass.

PETER FREEZE, a workman in Knox, Kim & Co.'s glass works in South Pittsburgh, was struck, on Wednesday afternoon, on the back of the head with a hammer which slipped from the hands of a fellow-workman. His skull was fractured and he is at present in a critical condition.

CORONER WEST held an inquest yesterday morning on the body of a Welshman named Thos. Phillips, who died very suddently at the house of Thos. Reese. A verdict of death from apoplexy was rendered. Deceased was sixty-two years of age, had been in this country but one month, and leaves a wife.

YESTERDAY the Birmingham Council met for the purpose of consulting with the engineer and officials of the Pittsburgh, Virginia and Charleston railroad, with reference to the company's altering the grade of the streets. Should the company fail to come to terms, an injunction will be asked for restraining the directors from further work.

MRS. ROBERTSON, residing at No. 108, was engaged in filling a lamp, on Wednesday evening, shortly before midnight, when an explosion occurred by which her clothing was ignited. Her screams attracted assistance and the flames were smothered by an overcoat which was wrapped about her. She was very severely burned about the chest, arms and face, but no serious consequences are apprehended.

THIS morning we record the death of another of our oldest citizens, Mr. Jeremiah Dunlevy, which took place Wednesday morning, after a lingering illness, at his residence on First avenue. The deceased was well known and highly respected in this community, and his death will be lamented by a large number of friends and acquaintances. He had attained the ripe old age of seventy-eight years, during which long stay in this world he sustained a high and honorable name and reputation. His funeral will take place this morning according to announcement elsewhere published.

THE house of Mr. Elliott, on the Perrysville road, and a short distance from the Allegheny city line, was entered at a late hour on Wednesday morning, by some thief, who seems to have obtained ingress through a window into a room occupied by a servant and one or two of the children of the family. Mr. Elliott being aroused by the cries of the servant, rushed to the room from whence they came, but found the door had been fastened on the inside. Forcing the door open, he discovered a man disappearing through the window. The drawers of the secretary in the room had been forced open, and a few dollars in money and some papers carried off. No clue to the thief has been obtained.

Public Entertainments.

THE PITTSBURGH OPERA HOUSE.—The Wyndham Troupe produced Daly's new play, Divorce, last night for the first time in Pittsburgh. We do not like Daly's plays as well as Robertson's, but we cannot have Robertson always, and Divorce is a very excellent and most successful drama. We can say little that is new of this troupe. Mrs. Wilkins is the best old woman we have ever seen; Mr. Pascelles is almost as good an old man. Miss Reignolds and Messrs. Fitzpatrick and Burnell played the leading parts capitally, and all of the cast, without exception, was very good. The audience was respectable in numbers and quality and appreciation of the excellent performance. If Mr. Ellsler knew how annoying the cold draughts are, which come in through the swinging doors when they stand open, we are certain that he would have them arranged to close automatically.

FIFTH AVENUE OPERA HOUSE.—We cannot but notice that there is a falling off in the attendance at Beamer's Opera House during the engagement of Mr. Murphy in the drama of Help. The fact of the matter is, that our theatre-going people are becoming tired and weary of these sensational dramas, especially when the piece has had a successful run upon its first season's presentation. The public in Pittsburgh appreciate true talent and worth, but they don't care to see the same scenes enacted over and over again. Nor do they wish to hear an oft-repeated tale. The interest is lessened by its repetition, and that which at first seemed to anticipate our every wish at last becomes stale and flat. Help is on the boards again to-night.

THE VARIETIES are doing an excellent and a first class business. Our genial friend, Manager Fred Aimes, knows how to cater to the wants of the public, and his efforts are recognized by crowded houses every night.

COOMBS TROUPE—Secure your seats for this excellent company's entertainment, commencing on Monday next. Seats can be secured for the season or single night at Kleber's.

ART GALLERY—The great historical painting of the Battle of Gettysburg still continues to draw, and it well deserves the praise so lavishly bestowed.

ORPHANS' FAIR—The Orphans' Fair will hold forth in the basement of the Cathedral. The object, a worthy one, ought to receive a liberal support, which it undoubtedly will.

Mr. C. Terheyden,

Manufacturing jeweler, No. 130 Smithfield street, desires to inform the public that he has on hand a large and very fine stock of gold and silver watches; also, a very complete assortment of office, parlor and mantel clocks, together with a full and handsome assortment of jewelry and precious stones for the holiday season.

All Soldiers,

Sailors and Marines are requested to call at our office immediately.

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Gents' furnishing goods at the reduced prices of the clearance sale at W. W. Moorhead's, No. 81 Market street.

Special.

Felt skirts. Choice bargains.
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Lyons black silks at reduced prices.
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Go to the splendid merchant tailoring establishment of Ugling, Follansbee & Co., 121 Wood street, corner of Fifth avenue, for your winter suit of clothing. Gentlemen's plain and fancy suits cut and made to order.

Furnaces, at Jas. Olds, 193 Liberty street.

The place to buy Marbleized Mantels, good and cheap, is where they are manufactured at 319 and 321 Liberty street, one square below the Grain Elevator. This is the only place in Western Pennsylvania where they are made.
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Utility Fire Grate, 193 Liberty street.

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Lovers of the "weed" should use Dilworth's "Heart's Ease." tf

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(Medicinally the best.)
PITTSBURGH DEPOT:
RANKIN'S APOTHECARY,
45 SIXTH STREET, under Hotel.

DIED:

HAMILL—On the 13th inst., at 9½ o'clock, P. M., RODY HAMILL, aged 76 years.

Funeral from his late residence in Penn township, TO DAY (Friday), at 11 o'clock, A. M. Carriages will leave Moreland & Mitchell's stables, Liberty street, at 8 o'clock, A. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

HESS—On Thursday, noon, December 14th, of typhoid fever, SARAH ELIZABETH HESS, daughter of the late C. Kaercher, Esq., wife of Geo. Chr. Hess, in the 27th year of her age.

The time of funeral will be found in to-morrow's papers.

WATSON—On Thursday evening, December 14th, at 29 minutes to 9 o'clock, Mr. JAMES WATSON, in the 43d year of his age.

The funeral from his late residence, No. 327 Second avenue, SATURDAY afternoon, at 2½ o'clock. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

DUNLEVY—On Wednesday morning, December 13th, at 3 o'clock JEREMIAH DUNLEVY, Sr., aged 78 years.

Funeral on FRIDAY MORNING, at 9 o'clock, from his late residence, 87 First avenue.

☞ ALEXANDER AIKEN, Undertaker, No. 166 FOURTH AVENUE. Coffins of all kinds, Shrouds, Crape, Gloves, and every description of Funeral Furnishing Goods furnished. Agent for Raymond & Co.'s Patent Metallic Burial Cases. Rooms open day and night. Hearse and Carriages furnished.

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Caps, Powder, Shot, Wads, Bullets, Game Bags, Shot Belts, Powder Flasks, Gun Material and Sporting Goods of every description at very low prices. I deal exclusively in Fire Arms and Gun Material, and have the only full assortment in the city, and sell at lower prices than can be had anywhere in the country. Call and see or send for a price list before purchasing elsewhere. Fire Arms neatly and promptly repaired. Guns for hire. Tents for sale. Army Rifles, Carbines and Revolvers bought or traded for.

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Great Western Gun Works,
179 Smithfield street, Pittsburgh, Pa

POLICE NOTES.

Brief Mention of Criminalities.

Mayor Brush, at the morning hearing, yesterday, disposed of fourteen common cases, and at the four o'clock hearing two of a like character.

Thomas Morris was before Mayor Brush last evening, on a charge preferred by his wife, of protracted drunkenness, malicious mischief in breaking her furniture, and general badness in abusing her on sundry occasions. The accused was sent to the hall for a residence of ten days.

Owen Sullivan was arrested yesterday afternoon while acting in a very disorderly manner on Terry street. He had overturned a boy's wheelbarrow on the pavement, and seemed too drunk to know that there was anything wrong with the transaction. The Mayor gave him forty-eight hours in which to get sober.

Daniel Keefe, who attacked officer Hoak about a month ago, and whom the officers have been seeking since that time, yesterday was yesterday charged, before Alderman Logan, with malicious mischief, the prosecutrix being his step-mother, Mrs. Mary Blakely. Mrs. B. resides on Washington street, and she states that her undutiful stepson came home drunk, and proceeded to break up the furnishment of her house. A warrant was issued for the arrest of the accused, and as the officer bearing the document entered the front door, Daniel made his exit through a rear aperture. He had not been captured last evening.

This morning Arthur Palmer, scenic artist at the Pittsburgh Opera-house, made an information before the Mayor against a woman named Mrs. Mary Seiferth, for larceny. The defendant is employed at cleaning the opera-house, and it is charged that she stole a water-proof cloak belonging to Mr. Coleman's wardrobe. She was arrested and held to bail for trial.

Burgess Jones, of East Birmingham, yesterday committed Henry Reed to jail for ten days, on a charge of disorderly conduct.

In the county jail there are one hundred and twenty prisoners, only eight of whom are females.

Andrew Murphy, John B. Crable and Edward Neele were yesterday escorted from the jail to Claremont, the first for six months, the second for nine, and Neele for a ten months' term, they having been sentenced to the Work House by Judge Collier.

The boy, Grace Lee, who was convicted of larceny on Tuesday last, and sentenced by Judge Collier to fifteen months' imprisonment in the Western Penitentiary, was taken over to that institution yesterday.

Yesterday morning Mr. Edward Moony made an information before Mayor Brush against Alderman W. B. Neeper, charging him with misdemeanor in office. The prosecutor alleges that some seven weeks since he placed into the hands of Alderman Neeper for collection bills amounting to about one hundred dollars of his father, W. Moony, leather merchant of Liberty street. The Alderman collected the money, and although repeated demands have been made since for a settlement, the Alderman has failed to pay over to Mr. Moony the amount due him. A warrant has been placed in an officer's hands for the arrest of the accused.

John Barret was slapped in the face by Mrs. Barbara Steiner, who keeps a saloon on Market street, and was then kicked out of the bar room by her bar-keeper, Wm. Use, who made vigorous use of a No. 11 in making the rearward application. The case was heard before Alderman McMasters yesterday and will go to Court.

Joel S. Bigham, Esq., a member of the Pittsburgh Bar, yesterday made information against B. Miller Clarke, a detective from the village of Mansfield, charging him with larceny by bailee. It is alleged against Clarke that he collected $50 for Bigham but never handed over the funds. The accused was arrested and gave bail for a hearing.

James Wallace, said to be a printer, is charged with obtaining boarding from Mrs. Agnes Paddock to the amount of $16 by falsely representing himself as a Liberty street merchant; for which offence James will be called upon to answer whenever he can be secured by Alderman McMaster's police.

J. J. Malurie says John Poland hit him on the head with a hatchet and then pitched him out of his saloon, and all because he couldn't pay cash for a "drink" he had taken. Alderman McMasters will adjudicate the case.

Louisa Modie, becoming alarmed at the depletion of her wardrobe, adopted a plan for replenishing it, which consisted in purloining dry goods from Mary Wayne, amounting in value to $13.85. Mary has appealed to Alderman McMasters' magisterial sense of justice for redress, and Louisa has been held to bail for Court.

"Interview with Comanche Bill," "A Perilous Balloon Ascent," "My Christmas Dinner at an Old Well," "Mrs. Craddie's Courtship," "Angling as a Fine Art," "Feeding the Wrens," by Bartley T. Campbell, are only *some* of the original contributions in the Christmas number of the "PEOPLE'S MONTHLY," out on Friday next. The paper is besides *crowded* with Christmas illustrations, poems, &c., and has an eight-page supplement, the first that has yet been issued. Every person should buy this number for the home and family. Examine it critically, and if approved, send in subscription for the year 1872. The *Monthly* will be *good* all the year.

An Enormous Beef—Our uptown readers should not fail to call and see the monster beef at J. Urban's, corner of Wylie and Tunnell streets. A beautiful animal weighing 2,000 lbs, and as fat as butter.

Live Stock.

BALTIMORE, December 14.—Cattle dull; very best on sale 5½@6½c; first quality 5@5½c; medium 4@5c; inferior 3@3½c; receipts 1,561; sales 1,253. Hogs very scarce; pens almost empty; quoted at 6@6¾c; good lots would command outside prices; receipts 5,655. Sheep: good scarce and in demand; common inactive; fair to good 4½@5½c; good to extra 5½@6¾; receipts 1,691.

AUCTION SALES.

By A. Leggate.

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137 BLUFF STREET—Lot 7 x130, with good Brick Dwelling of 10 Rooms. The ground will be divided if desired.

141 WYLIE AVENUE—Lot 21x90, with Brick Dwelling of 10 Rooms, Bath, &c.

Allegheny.

95 TAYLOR AVENUE—Lot 40x90, with Dwelling of 6 Rooms, Kitchen and Attic. A pleasant location and good building.

93 TAYLOR AVENUE—Lot 20x90, with good Brick House of 7 Rooms.

100 SHEFFIELD STREET—Lot 26x138, with Brick House of 7 Rooms and Frame House of 4 Rooms. Good renting property.

59 MONTGOMERY AVENUE—Lot 19x40 with brick House, 9 Rooms. Pleasant location on Park.

145 WEST OHIO STREET—Lot 22 or 45x125 with 9 Room Dwelling—fine location.

23 GRADY STREET—Lot 20x110, with two story Frame Dwelling of 4 Rooms, situated between Chartiers street and Beaver avenue; only $1,630 on easy terms.

48 BOYLE STREET—Lot 17 x90, with House of 8 Rooms, Bath and Attic; near the North Park.

RIDGE AVENUE AND WALKER ST—Lot 50x 216, with large Brick Dwelling House.

79 LESLIE STREET—Lot 20x70, with Frame Dwelling, for $1,400.

Country.

Ten and a half acres on Benton avenue, near New Brighton road; well improved; in good neighborhood; one mile from Jack's Run; owned by J. F. Saville.

Coal Business.

The established Coal Business of Jas. E. Clark, 67 Sandusky street; working material, good will, etc., for $1,300. An opening for an energetic man. Possession immediate. Owner going west

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AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Grading of Hazlewood avenue, from Second avenue to Monongahela River.

WHEREAS, It appears that a majority in interest has petitioned for the Grading of Hazlewood avenue, from Second avenue to Monongahela River; therefore,

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same, That the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for Proposals for the Grading of Hazlewood avenue, from Second avenue to Monongahela River, and to let the same in the manner directed by an ordinance concerning Streets, passed August 31st, 1857; also, an Act concerning Streets, approved January 6th, 1864.

SEC. 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the passage of this Ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law, in Councils, this 11th day of December, A. D. 1871.
A. H. GROSS,
President of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
H. W. OLIVER, JR.,
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ORDINANCES.

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Construction of a Public Sewer on Ninth street, from Liberty street, and connecting with Sewer on Fayette street.

SEC. 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the construction of a Public Sewer on Ninth street, from Liberty street, and connecting with Sewer on Fayette street, and to let the same in accordance with the law relating to sewers, the cost of construction to be assessed and collected in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled "An Act concerning Streets and Sewers in the City of Pittsburgh," and the various supplements thereto.

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Clerk of Common Council. de16

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Opening of River street, from Wainwright street, now 37th street, to Ewalt street, now 43d street.

SEC. 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to survey and open River street, from Wainwright now 37th street, to Ewalt, now 43d street; the damages caused thereby and the benefits to pay the same to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of an Act of Assembly entitled "An Act concerning Streets and Sewers in the City of Pittsburgh," approved January 6th, 1864, and the several supplements thereto.

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AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing Wilson, Glass & Co. to construct a siding opposite their Works on Second avenue.

SEC. 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the city of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Messrs. Wilson, Glass & Co. be and they are hereby authorized to construct a side switch to connect with the Pittsburgh, Baltimore and Washington Railroad, opposite their works on Second avenue, 14th ward, in such place as may be designated by the City Engineer. Provided, the city may at any time, on three months' notice, require the removal of the same at the expense of said parties.

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AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the opening of Pike street, from 17th street to 21st street.

SEC. 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to survey and open Pike street, from 17th street to 21st street; the damages caused thereby and the benefits to pay the same to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of an Act of Assembly, entitled "An Act concerning Streets and Sewers in the City of Pittsburgh," approved January 6th, 1864, and the several supplements thereto.

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AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Opening of Granville street, from Wylie avenue to Webster avenue.

SEC. 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to survey and open Granville street, from Wylie avenue to Webster avenue; the damages caused thereby and the benefits to pay the same to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of an Act of Assembly entitled "An Act concerning Streets and Sewers in the City of Pittsburgh," approved January 6th, 1864, and the several supplements thereto.

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AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Opening of Locust street, from Shingiss street to rear of lots fronting on Marion street.

SEC. 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same, That the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to survey and open Locust street, from Shingiss street to rear of lots fronting Marion street; the damages caused thereby and the benefits to pay the same to be collected in accordance with the provisions of an Act of Assembly entitled "An Act concerning Streets and Sewers in the City of Pittsburgh," approved January 6th, 1864, and the several supplements thereto.

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AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Grading, Paving and Curbing of Granville street, from Webster avenue to Wylie avenue.

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President of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
H. W. OLIVER, JR.,
President of Common Council.
Attest: HUGH McMASTER,
Clerk of Common Council. de16

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Grading, Paving and Curbing of John street, from Penn avenue to Iron City Park.

SEC. 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the Grading, Paving and Curbing of John street, from Penn avenue to Iron City Park, and to let the same in the manner directed by an act concerning streets, approved January 6th, 1864, and the ordinances of Councils relating thereto.

SEC. 2. That any Ordinance, or part of Ordinance conflicting with the passage of this Ordinance at the present time be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

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A. H. GROSS,
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Attest: E. S. MORROW,
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H. W. OLIVER, JR.,
President of Common Council.
Attest: H. McMASTER,
Clerk of Common Council. de16

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Grading and Paving of Young's alley, from Vine alley to State alley.

SEC. 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the Grading and Paving of Young's alley, from Vine alley to State alley, and to let the same in the manner directed by an ordinance concerning Streets, passed August 31st, 1857; also an act concerning Streets approved January 6th, 1864.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the passage of this ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law, in Councils, this 11th day of December, A. D. 1871.
A. H. GROSS,
President of Select Council
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
H. W. OLIVER, JR.,
President of Common Council.
Attest: H. McMASTER,
Clerk of Common Council. de16

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Grading of Devillier street, from Bedford avenue to Rose street.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same, That the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the Grading of Devillier street, from Bedford avenue to Rose street, and to let the same in the manner directed by an ordinance concerning streets, passed August 31st, 1857; also an act concerning streets, approved January 6th, 1864.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the passage of this ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law, in Councils, this 11th day of December, 1871.
A. H. GROSS,
President of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
H. W. OLIVER, JR.,
President of Common Council.
Attest: H. McMASTER,
Clerk of Common Council. de16

AN ORDINANCE—Entitled "An Ordinance granting Messrs. Riesecck & Bro. the right to erect an iron-clad Building on 16th street, near Pike street, in the Tenth ward.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Messrs. Riesecck & Bro. be and are hereby authorized to erect an iron-clad building, thirty by eighteen feet, on 16th street, near Pike street, in the Tenth ward.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the passage of this ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law, in Councils, this 11th day of December, A. D. 1871.
A. H. GROSS,
President of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
H. W. OLIVER, JR.,
President of Common Council.
Attest: H. McMASTER,
Clerk of Common Council. de19

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Grading, Paving and Curbing of Thirty-eighth street, from Penn avenue to Iron City Park.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the Grading, Paving and Curbing of 38th street, from Penn avenue to Iron City Park, and to let the same in the manner directed by an ordinance concerning Streets, passed August 31st, 1857; also an act concerning streets, approved January 6th, 1864.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the passage of this ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils this 11th day of December, A. D. 1871.
A. H. GROSS,
President of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
H. W. OLIVER, JR.,
President of Common Council.
Attest: HUGH McMASTER,
Clerk of Common Council. de15

AMUSEMENTS.

AMUSEMENT ADVERTISING RATES.

Following is the rate charged for advertisements under the head of "Amusements" in this column:

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Fifth Night and continued success of the renowned

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The fifth Lecture of the course by
Daniel Dougherty, Esq.,
OF PHILADELPHIA.
Subject: "THE STAGE,"
ON
Thursday Evening, December 14th.

It affords the Lecture Committee pleasure to announce the above, the attractive and eloquent lecture of this gentleman last season warranting a rich treat.

Admission, 75c.

Prof. Toerge's Orchestra will execute some of their finest selections prior to the lecture. de11

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ANNOUNCEMENT EXTRAORDINARY.

The Managers of the Pittsburgh Art Association take great pleasure in announcing to the public that they have effected an engagement for ONE WEEK ONLY with the great American Artist,

Miss Jane Coombs

who will appear in a series of her world-renowned characters, supported by the talented young actor,

Mr. Frederic Robinson,

and a carefully selected Company, commencing MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1871.

The sale of Reserved seats will begin on Thursday, December 7, at H. Kleber & Bros., 122 Wood street, at 9 o'clock, A. M.

The Repertoire consists of some of the best plays ever produced in this country, among which are the following:

Monday Evening, December 18, 1871,
LOVE'S SACRIFICE.
Tuesday Evening,
SCHOOL FOR SCANDAL.
Wednesday Evening,
LADY OF LYONS.
Thursday Evening,
WORLD OF FASHION.
Friday Evening, Benefit of Miss Jane Coombs,
ROMEO AND JULIET.
Saturday Matinee,
THE HONEYMOON.
Saturday Evening,
INGOMAR.

The Management take great pleasure in announcing that new and beautiful scenery has been furnished at a large expense for the purpose of giving Miss Coombs and her unrivaled corps of artists full scope to display their versatile and unexcelled portraiture of the different characters they will be called upon to sustain.

TICKETS—Dress Circle and Parquette, $1; Balcony, 75c and $1; Private Boxes $5 and $8. No extra charge for reserved seats. de4

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AT ART GALLERY, LIBRARY HALL.
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On Saturday Afternoon, Dec. 16, 1871,
AT 2 O'CLOCK,

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WESTERN COTTON MILL,

Lacock street, near Isabella Court, Allegheny, all the MACHINERY of said Cotton Mill, comprising one Kershaw Cotton Opener, One Two-Beater Whitin Sapper, One Drawing Frame, Seven Spinning Frames, Two Twister Frames, Two Speeders, One Yarn Press Table, Two Kellogg's Pickers, Five Dry Tubs, One Ball Winder, One Bobbin Spooler, with necessary Shafting, Belting, Pulleys, Bobbins, Spools, &c., for making Carpet Chain and Yarns. TERMS—CASH.

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With other CHOICE GOODS, all of my own personal selection and importation.

SIMON JOHNSTON,
Cor. of Smithfield St. and Fourth Ave.

U. S. MARSHAL'S OFFICE,
W. D. OF PENNSYLVANIA,
PITTSBURGH, December 13th, 1871.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE: THAT on the 11th day of December, A. D. 1871, a Warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of CHARLES A. BOUCHER, of Mount Washington, in the county of Allegheny and State of Pennsylvania, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the Office of the Register, No. 93 DIAMOND STREET, in the city of Pittsburgh, before SAMUEL HARPER, Esq., Register, on the 2d day of JANUARY, A. D. 1872, at 10 o'clock A. M.

A. MURDOCH,
de14:76 U. S. Marshal, as Messenger.

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Orders may be left at my office, or those of our Retail Agents, Messrs. LANG & McKALLIP, No. 347 Liberty street, or J. E. CLARK, No. 67 Sandusky street, Allegheny.

J. D. MAHON,
Superintendent,
de8 No. 67 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh.

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